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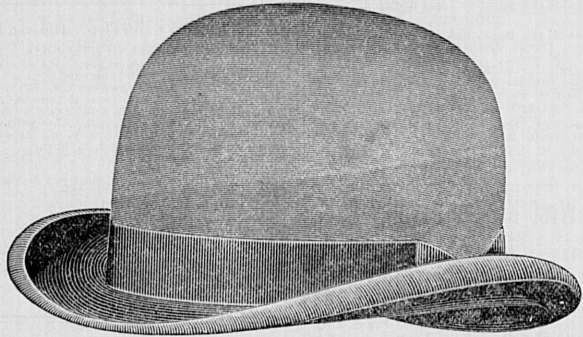
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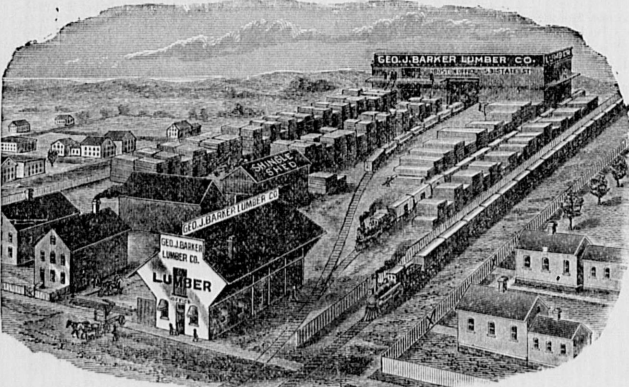
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—Mrs. A. D. Babcock of Syracuse, N. Y., is a guest at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Sewing machine supplies, repairing and machines to let at 10 Pearl court. tf

—Communion service will be held at the Channing church next Sunday morning.

—Fine French and hall clock repairing at W. A. Hodgdon's, French building, 28 tf

—Mounted-patrolman Compton returned to duty Wednesday, after a vacation of two weeks.

—Newton Christian Endeavor Union, Y. M. C. A. rooms, Monday, Nov. 15th, 7.45 p. m. Come.

—Mrs. Safford and her son, Mr. George H. Safford of Boyd street, have returned from a visit in Exeter, N. H.

—Mr. Martin and family, formerly of Marshfield Heights, have taken the Wetherbee house on Bellevue street.

—The Garden city lodge I. O. O. F. M. U. will hold its annual ball Friday evening, Nov. 19, in Armory hall.

—A parliament of missions was held last Friday evening by the Young Women's Missionary Club of the Baptist church.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cole, who have been visiting Mr. Cole's father of Jefferson street, have returned to their home in New Jersey.

—Mr. Bowles and his fiancée, Miss Allen of Nahant, were in town this week, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Holmes of Wesley street.

—Rev. Dr. C. H. Daniels will address the Business Men's Bible Class of Eliot church, next Sunday, on "The Collateral results of Foreign Missions."

—A business meeting of the Social Science Club was held Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Blodgett on Centre street.

—Mrs. C. H. Daniels of Church street has been in New London, Conn., this week, where she attended the meeting of the Women's Board of Missions.

—Mr. Edward W. Pope's farm in Lincoln is situated in the village, and he is making extensive improvements to the house, which he will use for a summer residence.

—Modern shirt laundering requires great strength in the front of the shirt, of which the "double front" shirts stand the strain admirably. See adv., this page.

—Music in Grace church Sunday night: Processional anthem, "O Zion blest city." Hiles The Oratorio of the Creation. Hayden Tetra-tonal hymn, "Jerusalem the Golden." Le Jeune den.

Seats free.

—The Looker-On in the Boston Record has the following to say concerning malaria in Newton. "There seems to be a prevalence of malaria in Newton. Some of my friends tell me that it is caused by the perpetual digging up of washing material and by gases which arise from the 'big ditch' in which the B. & A. now runs."

—Tomorrow afternoon on Morse's field, Nantum, the Garden City A. C. eleven will line up against the Allen school team. The former club has played several fine matches this season with leading amateur clubs, and has yet to suffer defeat. The school boys have also strongly organized, and the coming game is looked forward to with interest.

—In regard to the darkness of Elmwood and Vernon streets, we have received many complaints since last week. A young lady who was passing along Vernon street, Monday night, noticed a man following her, and when opposite a street lamp, glanced hastily round and was terrified to find the man making an indecent exhibition. She ran screaming into the nearest house, and the man disappeared. Several other cases of like nature have been reported, and such dark streets are a constant invitation to disorder. The streets should be so well lighted, especially streets that are so much travelled as these two, that they will be perfectly safe for ladies in the evening.

—The Grace church choir boys played the Bigelow football team on Farlow park last Saturday afternoon, and defeated them by a score 20 to 4. For junior clubs both sides put up a strong game which was witnessed by a good-sized crowd of enthusiastic admirers. The summary.

CHOIR BOYS. BIGELOW'S

Morse l. e. Porter

Stearns l. e. Flood

Green l. e. M. Ivy

Andrews. e. Harrington

G. O. r. e. g. Shea Maher, Ryan

A Schofield r. e. J. Wheeler

A Wilson r. e. e. Soden

E. Schofield a. b. e. J. Maher

E. Hamblin h. b. e. W. Sprout

Geo Wilson h. b. e. Lenton

Macomber l. e. f. B. Sprout

Score Choir Boys. Bigelow's 20

downs R. Sprout, A. Wilson, Macomber Geo.

Wilson. Goals from touchdowns, Geo. Wilson 3.

Empire N. Porter. Referee G. Daniel. Time 2:30

min. halves.

er: Elections, Navals and Military affairs, E. L. Douglas and C. F. Bacon.

—Mr. Wm. I. Howell has resumed piano lessons. See card.

—Rev. W. H. Davis returned Monday from Dartmouth.

—Mr. F. H. Tucker of Church street has returned from Europe.

—Miss Minnie Sears of the Hunnewell has gone to Colorado for the winter.

—Mr. J. E. Lawrence and family opened their new residence on Church street this week.

—The first sociable of the season will be held next Thursday evening at the Channing church.

—Mr. G. R. McFarlin of Bennington street has removed to one of Mr. Hibbard's houses on Hunnewell terrace.

—Those who are difficult to please find everything satisfactory at the Elmwood street barber shop, Eliot block.

—Rev. H. G. Spaulding spoke before the Unitarian Sunday school association in Boston, last week, on "The Life of Christ in Art."

—Mr. J. R. W. Shapleigh and Mr. P. F. Parker returned Saturday from Worcester, where they attended the Y. M. C. A. convention.

—Mr. S. B. Whittemore and family have closed their summer residence at Rocky Nook, Hingham, and returned to their winter home on Hunnewell Hill.

—Miss May Moore of Hunnewell Hill gave a Halloween party at her home Monday evening. The guests included many young people of the Baptist church.

—Joseph Hayden wrote the oratorio of the Creation in 1797, and to mark the centennial of its composition the Grace church choir will sing it Sunday evening. Doors open at 7 o'clock, service begins at 7.30.

—Last Friday night A. V. Harrington, the newsdealer, moved to his old location in Cole's block. After the moving was completed all the employees were invited to Mr. Harrington's residence on Church street, where they were served with refreshments, after which there was music and a general good time, which was much enjoyed by the boys who were present, as well as by the older ones.

—Mr. Henry P. Spaulding, formerly of this city, will hold an exhibition of his water colors in the gallery of the Boston Art Club, from Nov. 6th to 20th, inclusive. There will be paintings of the many places which Mr. Spaulding has visited during the past few years, Alaska, Southern California, Italy and Holland. Prominent Bostonians have loaned pictures from their collections for this exhibition. Tickets may be obtained by applying at Hubbard's drug store, Centre street.

—Music in Eliot church next Sunday:

MORNING.

Organ prelude, Elegie. Lemaigre

Communion hymn, "O Bread to Pilgrims." Goodrich

Organ postlude, Marche Solennelle. Gounod

EVENING, 7.30.

Organ prelude, Andante. Merkel

Anthem, "It shall come to pass." Tours

Anthem, "Thou shalt bring them in." Sullivan

Anthem, "All thy works praise Thee." Barnby

Organ postlude, Offertoire. Wely

—There was a very bad condition of things at the temporary bridge on Tuesday. The rain had left a lake of mud and water on the north side, and people crossing to and from the street cars, had to wade through the mud, pools of water standing in places deep enough to go over the tops of shoes. A number of ladies in the darkness of the early evening came out of the crossing with dripping feet and muddy skirts. Of course some inconvenience is expected by this crossing has been in a very bad state from the start, with only dirt walks for a long distance, and not sufficiently lighted. As the new bridge will not be ready for some weeks or months, something should be done for unfortunate pedestrians.

—Many complaints are made in regard to the excavation on Waverley avenue, which the Metropolitan Water Board is making. Monday night, one of Bush's hucksters found an unlighted portion of the ditch at the corner of Vernon street by driving into it. Fortunately the ditch was not very deep, so there was no serious damage, but a lamp-flasher drove his horse into another unlighted part of the excavation, and it took an hour and a half to extricate the animal. The lanterns are not lighted early enough and complaint is made that they are apt to go out, apparently from lack of oil. Boards should be put up at the corners of streets and some one should look after the work, to see that the public is properly protected, or the city will be called on for heavy damages.

—Four spans of the Washington street bridge were got into position on Sunday, and the fifth was placed later. These are the largest spans used on the depression, on account of three being placed across at an angle with the tracks. The middle span, which divides the roadway, weighs 32 tons, and the two on either side over twenty, while those outside of the sidewalk are lighter. It took three flat cars for the spans, on account of their length, and the putting of them in position drew a large crowd. A large force of men have been at work all the week, bolting the bridge together, but it will be three weeks more before it is ready for travel. If cold weather should come on, it would be necessary to postpone the concreting till another year, and possibly that will have to be done in

the case of the Centre street, and other bridges.

—Mr. Al Rees has severed his connection with the Newton Public Cash Market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wetherbee are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Barrows of Hunnewell Hill.

—The meeting of the Thursday evening whist club was held last evening at the residence of Dr. J. F. Frisbie.

—Mr. Howard Mason still remains seriously ill at his home on Nonantum place, and but little improvement has so far been noticed.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Yont (nee Neilson) have returned from their wedding tour and are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Neilson of Centre street.

—The running of the Newton Centra cars to Newton is a great convenience for the residents of that village who wish to come to the business section of the city.

—The new Hunnewell Clubhouse has been plastered and closed in from the weather, and work upon the interior is now expected to proceed more rapidly. The exterior is about completed.

—The superior qualities and advantages of the famous Spanish Root Soaps will be demonstrated at the store of J. H. Bacon, tomorrow, from 2 to 9 o'clock. Ladies especially invited to be present. A souvenir to all.

—The Monday Evening Club held its first meeting of the season this week at the residence of Mr. Mitchell Wing on Hunnewell avenue. Five-minute talks on "Vacation Experiences" were given by the different members.

—The next meeting of the Social Science Club will be held at the house of Mrs. N. L. Ripley, 618 Centre street, Wednesday, Nov. 10th, at 10 o'clock. Topic: "The Relations between the Executive and Legislative Branches of our Government."

—In the parlors of the Channing church this evening, a meeting of the class for the study of Milton's works will be held. Mr. J. L. Caverly will read "Comus," and Rev. Mr. Hornbrook will speak on "The Legend of Lancelot, L'Allegro."

—Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. Chas. H. Breck on Bellevue street, Rev. Mr. Hornbrook gave the first of his talks on "Tennyson's Idylls of the King." His subject was "Dedication, and The Coming of Arthur." Next Tuesday morning he will speak on "Gareth and Linette."

—The Periodical Circle of Grace church held a social in the parish house, Monday evening. Miss M. L. Perkins read an interesting paper. She wore a richly embroidered wedding gown which was the subject of considerable admiration. At the December meeting of the society a fireside gathering will be held representing a true picture of New England life.

—The workmen are putting up the framework for a temporary bridge on the easterly side of the Centre street crossing, to take the place of the old temporary bridge, which will be removed as soon as the new one is completed. Then when the excavation is completed, the west side of the new truss bridge will be put up first, so that the Centre street crossing will not be closed for any length of time.

—The severe rain of the early part of the week has interfered with the burning of leaves, much to the relief of the whole city, which had been suffering from the smoke nuisance. The city teams have been hauling away the leaves from Farlow Park, this week, and it would be much better if all the leaves could be disposed of in that fashion, although it might prove rather expensive.

—Under the auspices of the Adams Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, large whist parties will be given at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, afternoon and evening, Nov. 18 and 19, to raise money to finish the restoration of the birthplace of John Adams in Quincy, Mass. It is hoped that patriotic men and women in Newton will be interested to help this work by attending the whist parties. Tickets may be obtained of Mrs. A. M. Ferris, 57 Washington street, Miss M. E. Wheeler, 355 Centre street, Newton, and Mrs. Wm. T. Logan, Newton Highlands.

—About 500 members and friends of the Young Ladies' Charitable Association attended the whist party and concert given for the benefit of the free home for convalescents in Armory hall, Wednesday evening. The affair was in every way successful and eclipsed all other entertainments of the kind ever given by the association. The winners in the whist were Mrs. Elizabeth 1st ladies, Mr. Daniel Warren 1st gentlemen, Miss Nellie Welch 2nd ladies, Mr. Edward E. Cogger 2nd gentlemen. The committee of arrangements included Miss Katherine Cranitch, Miss M. J. Harwood, Mrs. T. P. Delaney, Mrs. J. H. Blount, Mrs. E. E. Dunphy. The following gentlemen acted as ushers: Mr. Fred O'Sullivan, Mr. James R. Condrin, Dr. T. F. Carroll, Dr. J. P. Rattigan, Dr. Coady, Mr. John A. Dugane, Mr. Daniel Gallacher, Mr. John Finner, Mr. John Cranitch and Mr. G. M. Cranitch. A pleasing program of well-rendered numbers was given by the following artists: Miss Alice Mullen, Master Arthur Connelly, Miss Elsie, Miss Bessie Cashman, William Elliott, Mr. J. Frank Donahoe, Miss Nellie Neville, Miss White, Mr.

[CONTINUED ON EIGHTH PAGE.]

Cutter's Little Spool Silks.

The little spool silks manufactured by John D. Cutter & Co. of New York, are beyond a doubt just the best article of the kind in the market, and are commended to ladies who embroider, or knit, for their strength, beauty of color, and tint, and freedom from that fuzzy, woolly appearance, which many silks have. The better silks do not wear fuzzy, but always continue smooth and glossy, thereby adding the skill of the artistic worker, and in the completion of the work, producing a smoothness of finish that is a pleasure to contemplate. That these silks stand unrivalled and unapproached in public estimation, is not surprising, as they are made from the best material to be obtained, and consequently give the fullest satisfaction to all who use them. They are to be had of all the dry and fancy goods stores, and at wholesale from John C. Meyer & Co., selling agents, 87 Summer street, Boston.

Wednesday, Nov. 10th, 2 P. M.

Executor's sale of household goods at the Kidder Place, 129 Jewett street, consisting of carpets, draperies, chamber sets, parlor sets, crockery, kitchen utensils. For further particulars see posters.

Removal.

Dr. Webber has removed to 455 Centre street, opposite Eliot church, where he may be found after Oct. 1. Until Oct. 1, messages may be sent to Hubbard's drug store. Telephone 253-3.

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of all local entertainments to which admis-
sion fee is charged must be paid for at regu-
lar rates, 25 cents per line in the reading
matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.

MR. BOTHFELD NOT A CANDIDATE.

The adoption of the new charter has
been interpreted by many as a practical en-
dorsement of Mr. Bothfeld for mayor, as
he was the one who was most concerned in
getting up the revision, during his term as
Mayor, and was chairman of the board
which drew up the new charter. So many
times the matter of a revision has come up,
only to be defeated, in some of its stages,
that Mr. Bothfeld deserves a good deal of
the credit in getting a revision through all
the preliminary stages, and in a shape
that it was ratified by the people.

Having had so much to do with framing
the charter, the expectation was natural
that he should be chosen to put it into
practical operation, and consequently there
is general disappointment that he has
decided to withdraw his name as a
candidate for mayor. The prospects were
good for his receiving the regular Repub-
lican nomination, as he had influential
supporters in all the wards, who had
pledged him their hearty support, although
it was evident that there would have been
a warm contest, such as has characterized
city politics in former years.

The many campaign yarns that have
been so industriously circulated would
have reacted against their authors before
the election, as their animus was evident
enough, most of them coming from those
who thought they had a personal grievance,
because the city did not pay all
their claims for land taken for street widen-
ing, and the abolition of grade crossings,
or for like reasons. But Mr. Bothfeld
was appointed to look after the interests
of the city, and did his duty without re-
gard to the effect it might have upon his
political prospects.

Men of his independence and fearles-
ness in the discharge of duty are not as
plenty in public life as they might be, and
his withdrawal will be regretted by his
friends throughout the city. But as he
has never yet been engaged in any bitter
contests for office, and only consented to
allow the use of his name this year with
the understanding that there would be no
personal fight, his action is natural under
the circumstances.

His withdrawal leaves Mayor Cobb as
the principal candidate, and it looks now
as though there would be no opposition to
speak of. The only other candidate men-
tioned is Councilman Davis of West New-
ton, who has so far shown but little
strength outside of his own ward.
Possibly Mr. Bothfeld's withdrawal may
give the Davis movement new life, al-
though a great effort is being made to have
him withdraw in Mayor Cobb's favor.

THE NEW CHARTER ADOPTED.

The new charter was adopted by a vote
of two to one, which shows that the people
of Newton can be depended on to vote
with wise discrimination on questions
vital affecting the welfare of the city.
The GRAPHIC takes especial pride in this
result, as it has conducted almost alone
the campaign for the new charter, and
devoted a great deal of space to the argu-
ments in favor of the change, so that the
voters could understand the question.

There was a majority in favor in every
ward in the city, Ward Seven being the
banner ward, casting a vote of 235 to 48,
or about five to one. Ward Six comes next
with a vote of about three to one. In four
precincts, the majority was adverse, in
Ward One, Two, Three and Four, those
precincts including Nonantum, the north
part of West Newton and Lower Falls.

The labor vote was against the change,
but we believe that the new condition of
things will be much more favorable to the
laboring man than the old, and they will
find that they will have good reason to be
glad that the new charter was adopted. It
provides for a business-like administration
of city affairs, for a wise and intelligent use
of the money of the tax-payers. It will
much disappoint its friends, if the change
does not bring more permanent improve-
ments, thereby furnishing more work for
the laboring man, and at the same time a
large saving in the public expenditures,
which will mean a reduction of the tax-
rate.

Affairs will be under the direction of one
competent head, instead of half a dozen
irresponsible committees, and if things go
wrong the voters will know whom to
blame, as the responsibility is clearly
placed.

It means also that it will be possi-
ble to secure the best business men for
members of the board of aldermen, as their
work will now be legislative, and will not
take up such a large portion of their time.
Under present conditions, the large amount
of committee work takes up so much time,
that few business men can afford to be a
member of the city council, and every year

all sorts of pressure has had to be exerted
to induce good men to accept office.

THE STATE ELECTION.

The vote of Newton this year was one of
the smallest on record, as outside of the
new charter there was nothing to call out
any special interest. There was no con-
test over representatives, and none to
speak of over any other office. The rain
had of course something to do with the
small vote, but had it not been for the new
charter the total would not have been more
than half as large.

Gov. Wolcott's plurality was 1623, as
against 2860 last year. His majority over
Williams and Everett was 1371. Williams
secured only 79 votes less than last year,
although the total vote of the city was 60
per cent. of that of 1896. The other state
officials ran nearly with the head of the
ticket.

In Boston, the single chamber amend-
ment was defeated, but it was a very dif-
ferent measure from the Newton charter.
Gov. Wolcott carried the city by a small
plurality, which makes the coming Boston
city election a very interesting affair. The
result will depend in great measure on the
candidates who are put up by the different
parties, and the Republicans will have to
nominate for mayor a man like Governor
Wolcott if they desire to win. An ordi-
nary politician will not have much chance
if the Democrats renominate Mayor
Quincy.

In the state at large, Governor Wolcott's
vote is very satisfactory, showing that even
when no effort is made and no campaign
conducted, the people of Massachusetts
can be depended on to choose wisely. It
was a superfluous election, and even the
impassioned eloquence of Messrs. Wil-
liams and Everett did not detract from the
purely formal aspect of the campaign.

SOME Boston papers make very bad
breaks when they try to take a hand in
Newton politics, as was illustrated by last
Friday's Transcript, which had a column
article on the mayoralty contest in Newton.
It was evidently written in the interest of
Mr. Davis, but the statements about the
other candidates were so absurd as to de-
feat their object. For instance it was
stated that Mayor Cobb was being severe-
ly criticized because he was paying two
salaries to city officials, and then quoted
the instances where the city officials get
from \$100 upwards for an additional office.
The fact is these salaries have been paid
for many years, and the intention was to
make up a respectable total so that good
men could be secured for the office. Mayor
Cobb had no more responsibility for it,
than he has for the weather. It was also
charged that he was blamed for the use of
so many telephones by the city, but as we
stated last week, a committee of the city
council investigated the matter, and found
the city could save \$48 a year, by cutting
off all telephones that were not absolutely
necessary. That is a rather slight founda-
tion for a campaign argument. The sur-
prising statements were also made that Mr.
Bothfeld was the "labor candidate," had
made terms with the labor leaders, that he
was employed by the Boston & Albany
road against the city, and that he was in-
terested in all the street railways in the
city. It is charitable to suppose that all
these mis-statements are made through
ignorance.

The petition for the extension of Temple
street from Highland to Chestnut street,
brought out some varied testimony at the
hearing. The extension is nominally for
the convenience of the school children, but
that point was lost sight of by most of the
speakers. The extension would largely
increase the value of the estates through
which it was made, but it would be a new
departure for the city to engage in work of
this kind, and if it was once adopted the
treasury would be bankrupt in short
order. The large estates in that locality
are becoming so valuable, that they will be
cut up into small building lots in the near
future, and the owners will build streets to
develop their property, as has been the case
in other parts of the city. Meanwhile, the
children who would be benefited, will
have a shorter distance to travel than they
have at present, in going to the old Peirce
school building.

Now that the state election is over, city
politics is expected to reach the boiling
point, although they have been rather warm
for some time. Sentiment is so divided
that a contest seems the only thing, and
the old Citizens' party, which won so many
hotly contested fights, may be revived.
Elections the past three or four years have
been so unanimous that people have lost
interest in city affairs, and have not kept
posted, which probably accounts for the
remarkable yarns one hears floating about
the streets.

THE City Treasurer had received up to
last night \$491,000 of the \$661,000 of city
taxes. In the first three days of Novem-
ber \$233,000 was taken in, an unusually
large amount, which is due probably to the
easy state of the money market. The large
receipt from taxes has enabled the city to
pay all its temporary loans.

THE sale of the Farlow estate to a New-
ton syndicate, who will immediately pro-
ceed to develop the property, is one of the
most important real estate transactions of
the year. The estate has already been
planned for streets, and the fine views from
all the lots will make the locality very de-
sirable for high class residences.

It is said that some of the majority for
the new charter came through a curious
mistake of the voters. One man, in com-
ing from the polling place, was asked
whether he voted yes or no. "Yes, of
course," he replied, "I always vote for
license." And there were others.

THE New York and Ohio elections have
been the most interesting feature of the
week's news. Mr. Hanna has lost some of
his effulgence, while Platt seems to have
lost everything. Lesser bosses will be
wise to take warning.

NEWTON CLUB.

The Newton club whist team was de-
feated last Saturday evening in the rooms
of the American Club, Boston, by the
American Club. The latter won by ten
points. By this victory the American
Whist Club has captured the Robinson
trophy.

AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—There is a letter in the postoffice for
Mr. F. A. Ireland.

—Mr. George B. Knapp of Central street
is visiting out of town.

—Mr. G. B. H. Griffin of Vista avenue
has removed to Boston.

—Mr. George Keyes of Camden road is
entertaining his father.

—Mr. Harry D. Priest has returned from
a hunting trip in Maine.

—Mr. W. L. Keyes of Somerville was in
town this week the guest of friends.

—Letter-carrier McBride has returned
from his annual vacation of two weeks.

—Mr. S. S. Dowley has taken the
Hutchinson house on Evergreen avenue.

—Mr. Ellis Leonard and Mr. Bert Bell,
enjoyed a bicycle trip to Lowell, Sunday.

—Mr. Charles F. Spooner and family
have taken the house 342 Auburndale ave-
nue.

—Miss Fletcher of Charles street has re-
turned after a visit out of town for several
weeks.

—Mr. Harold Conkey and Mr. William
Ames rode to Worcester on their wheels
Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Duncan are
guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newell of
Vista avenue.

—Representative E. L. Pickard left Wed-
nesday for a pleasure trip through the
northern states.

—Mr. Frank W. Yerxa and family have
closed their residence on Rowe street, and
removed to Boston.

—Newton Christian Endeavor Union, Y. M.
C. A. rooms, Newton, Monday, Nov.
15th, 7:45 p. m. Come.

—John Foran, who was kicked by a
horse last week, is recovering from his in-
juries and is able to be at work again.

—Mr. Leander Soule, who has been the
guest of Mr. William Soule of Rowe street,
left this week for his home in Freeport,
Maine.

—Miss Jennie Dunham of Portland,
Maine, who has been visiting Mr. Enoch
Soule of Lexington street, has returned to
her home.

—Cadet Joseph McVicar and Cadet
Charles Hale of the training ship Enter-
prise, have been visiting their parents in
this place.

—Mr. George Fred Pond Jr. of Auburndale
avenue, is candidate for the election
as delegate, to attend the L. A. W. conven-
tion at St. Louis.

—Mr. Walter W. Austin, watchmaker
and jeweler, has established a store in
Haskins block, and is prepared to repair
watches, clocks and jewelry.

—Residents of Vista avenue are desirous
of having signs placed at the corners of
that street. They will probably petition
the city government regarding the matter.

—Representative E. L. Pickard kept open
house on Woodland road, Tuesday even-
ing, and received the congratulations of
several hundred of his Newton friends on
his reelection.

—Miss Annie S. Peck will give her lec-
ture, "How I Climbed the Matterhorn,"
with illustrations, at Lasell Seminary,
Thursday evening, Nov. 11th, at 8 o'clock.
Friends are welcome.

—A meeting of Auburndale lodge A. O.
U. W. was held Wednesday evening in
Auburn hall for the transaction of consid-
erable business, which included the ad-
mission of several new members.

—Mr. William Crossley will this week
resign his position at Thorn's pharmacy.
Mr. Crossley is well known here and is
very popular. His departure will be re-
gretted by his large circle of friends.

—The Young People's Christian En-
deavor society of the Congregational
church held a social Wednesday evening.
The affair called out a large attendance of
members and their friends, and was quite
successful.

—An informal reception was given Tues-
day evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. G.
Conley at their residence on Centre street,
to Rev. and Mrs. Chandler, who have been
spending several months in Auburndale,
and are about to leave for India.

—Mr. Charles Nichols of Dorchester died
Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. Chas.
B. Bourne of Auburn street. He was
62 years old, and had lived in Dorchester
some time. He often visited here, where
he had a large circle of friends. Mr.
Nichols had been in failing health for some
time. The funeral services were held this
afternoon at Mr. Bourne's residence, Rev.
Dr. Shinn officiating.

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last week charged with embezzlement from
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MR. BOTHFELD RETIRES.

DOES NOT BELIEVE IN A CAMPAIGN OF
PERSONALITIES.

Ex Mayor H. E. Bothfeld has refused to
allow his name to be used in connection
with the mayoralty of Newton. His
friends were apprehensive of such a re-
sult, and his reasons are given in an inter-
view with a Boston Herald reporter as
follows:

"Yes, I have written a letter to Mayor
Cobb today in which I have told him that I
am not a candidate for mayor of Newton.
During my prolonged absence from the
city my friends used my name in connection
with the coming nomination for the
mayorship. When I returned early in
October, I found that the matter had pro-
gressed so far that it was rather a delicate
thing for me to handle without consulta-
tion with a number of the city's friends. I
always been my loyal friends and supporters.
My personal desire all along has been not
to allow my name to be used, unless Mayor
Cobb was out of the field.

"Cobb stated early in the summer
that he did not desire another term, and it
was largely owing to this and the knowl-
edge which my friends had of my services
in connection with the formation of the
charter, which has been so overwhelmingly
adopted at the state election, my connec-
tion with the depression of the Boston &
Albany railroad tracks, the widening of
Washington street and other public works,
that they put my name forward as a candi-
date."

"When it became known that Mayor
Cobb had reconsidered his first decision, it
was clearly apparent that a contest of an
entirely personal nature would result if I
allowed my name to be further considered.
"As I have stated in my letter to the
mayor, I am utterly opposed to that sort of
politics. I differ on some principle or policy
with the government of the city, but I hesi-
tate to accept the nomination against
Mr. Cobb or any other man if it were ten-
dered to me. But I cannot see any public
good that can result from a contest which
has nothing in view but personal prefer-
ence. I am, therefore, out of the race,
which I had at no time been very anxious
to enter."

Ex Mayor Bothfeld's letter follows:

Dear Sir:—I think you understand what
my position has been in regard to the
mayoralty. When I assented to the con-
sideration of my name in that connection I
imposed certain conditions. It is now ap-
parent that these conditions do not exist,
and that any contest must be wholly per-
sonal. To that sort of politics I am utterly
opposed. While I am ready to stand with
a corporal's regiment for a principle, or
against wrong methods, or bad men, I
cannot see any public good to be gained by
a continued use of my name at the present
time. I, therefore, am glad to assure you
that I am not a candidate for the nomina-
tion."

With the expectation and hope that you
will have the distinguished honor of serv-
ing as the first mayor under the new char-
ter, I am, sincerely yours,

H. E. BOTHFELD.

D. A. R.

The Newton Chapter D. A. R. will ce-
lebrate the formal presentation of its charter
on the afternoon of Thursday, Nov. 11, at
the Newton Club house, when the state re-
gent, Mrs. S. M. Brown of Springfield, will
make the presentation speech. Mrs. Ben-
jamin Andrews Hackett, the regent, will
preside and present an interesting and
elaborate program.

The Governor and Mrs. Wolcott have
been invited to attend, and addresses will
be made by the regent of the Bunker Hill
Chapter, Rev. E. M. Noyes of Newton
Centre and others. Solos for voice and
violin by members of the chapter. The
Newton orchestra will play selections dur-
ing the afternoon.

Nearly every married woman is quietly
looking for another hired girl.—Aitchison

THE POET.

Poet, court not the favor of the many!
For short-lived are the transports of applause,
And fools shall sit in judgment over thee,
And thou shalt hear the world's unfeeling laugh.
Be thou through all impassive, strong and stern.
Then art a king! So live—alone. The path
Freely pursue where thy free genius calls,
Mattering ever the fruits of living thought,
Demanding no reward for work achieved.
Tis in thyself—thyself, thy Judge supreme.
No critic's censure more severe than thine.
Fashions artist, look upon thy world!
Art thou content? Then let the crowd abuse it,
The altar spurn which holds thy sacred flame,
And try in childhood, mischief loving glees
The tripod to overturn, thy throne divine.
—V. Ragozin in New York Sun.

HAIR TURNED WHITE

The windows of the crowded cafe had been thrown open, and the fresh, cool air of the spring night struggled for mastery with the close, tobacco laden atmosphere which filled the large hall.

A glance out into the night showed the deep blue heaven overhead and a brilliant full moon, whose cold, clear rays sparkled on the fresh foliage of the budding trees as they swayed gently to and fro in the light breeze. The members of the society to which I at this time belonged had been accustomed for some time past to reserve a certain table in the cafe for themselves, where they met every evening to chat over and discuss the events of the passing hour. On the night I am speaking of our conversation was of a prosaic enough character, as was only natural in a small town, and exhausted itself in discussions about local matters, the theater, taxes and similar humdrum topics.

Through some chance remark which I can no longer recall the question sprang up whether or not it were really credible that a man's hair could suddenly become gray in consequence of a violent shock to the mind. Some of those present were only half inclined to disbelieve this somewhat startling theory, while others could not be sufficiently scathing in the remarks they made concerning people who were so simple enough to place any credence in such nursery tales.

As the discussion grew warmer and warmer, until every member of our party was engaged either in championing or combating the question in point, a man seated near us rose slowly, pushing his chair from him, and approached our table. He was a fine, tall fellow, of herculean build, and his intelligent features, which bore an expression of great determination, were rendered very striking by a pair of keen, blue eyes. But what made his appearance still more remarkable was the fact that both his hair and beard were as white as snow, although they surrounded a countenance which would not permit one to reckon his age at more than about 35.

"Excuse me, gentlemen, if I am interrupting your conversation," he remarked, bowing politely to all of us. "You were just discussing a subject that has more than ordinary interest for me. I happen myself to be a living proof that under certain circumstances a terrible shock to the mind can produce that selfsame physical effect of which you were just speaking, and which the majority of you seem to discredit."

These words naturally excited the curiosity of all present to the highest degree. We quickly made room for our new acquaintance at the table, and when he had seated himself comfortably urged him to relate to us the circumstances which had produced such a strange and sudden change in his appearance. The stranger told us this story:

"If any of you gentlemen have ever interested yourself closely in American affairs, the name of Auburn cannot well be strange to you all of us. You were just discussing the United States as Spielberg does for Austria. You must not picture Auburn to yourselves merely as a gloomy and extensive prison, as a large, solitary building—no! It is rather an entire colony of criminals, a sort of town or metropolis for the wretches that the community has thrust out.

"Shut in by immense walls, which rise up from the level plain to a considerable height, are crowded together a large number of detached buildings—houses that contain the prison cells, wardens' dwellings, hospital and workshops—all sullen and forbidding looking, and here and there dotted about may be seen a small patch of grass, a few trees and very occasionally a flower bed, like the last lingering recollections of innocent childhood among the black thoughts of a criminal.

"Certain it is, which would have but little interest for you had led to my journeying from Hamburg, my birthplace, to America immediately after the completion of my studies, and after a short stay in New York I accepted the post of prison doctor at Auburn. I was intrusted with the medical supervision over that part of the prison which was set apart for the worst class of criminals—men, or I should say human hyenas, whose blood, as Mephistopheles had already said, was ready to be a fluid of rare quality."

"Two of these wretches were destined to spend the remainder of their days in the prison, and they, by reason of their great physical strength, as well as by the extraordinary cunning they had evinced in several desperate attempts to regain their freedom, were subjected to even closer supervision than the rest of their companions. I was an object of particular hatred and dislike to these two scoundrels because I had been instrumental in the discovery of a number of iron implements which they had concealed under their clothes, and again on another occasion because I had refused to receive them into the hospital when they had feigned illness, expecting doubtless when they were once in there that they would find more favorable opportunities for accomplishing their escape. The ruffians were separated and placed in remote parts of the prison and were laden with chains, but in spite of all these precautions one fine morning the one and a few days later the other, together with their chains, had disappeared without leaving a trace behind them.

"It must have been almost a fortnight after the flight of these two criminals, which had caused the utmost consternation among the authorities at Auburn, that I ordered my horse one afternoon and started off for a ride to Cayuga Bridge. It was midday when I reached the end of my journey, and I stood still for some time contemplating with silent delight the exquisite scenery which lay stretched out for miles before me. The Cayuga lake, one of those which, together with Lake Erie, compose that vast system of inland seas in the state of New York, lay in all its beauty at my feet. The long, slender streak of silver wound in and out of the rugged black cliffs which hemmed it in and which rose sheer up out of the lake, facing each

other like grim opponents who had for thousands of years bid one another defiance. Far down the lake, which is 40 miles long and at this particular spot about one broad, I could discern the enormous trestle bridge, a marvel of American engineering skill, which carries the Auburn division of the New York Central railway across, passing on its way through the small station of Cayuga Bridge.

"My business in the village was soon finished, and toward evening I started home again. Do you know how delightful a ride on a summer's evening is? Cayuga Bridge is surrounded by extensive oak forests, through which the greater part of my journey lay. The gnarled and massive trunks cast long shadows, and the foliage rustled so gently in the soft evening breeze that one seemed rather to feel than to hear it. As I rode between these giants of the forest sweet recollections of my distant home crept into my heart, and, sunk in my thoughts, I let the reins fall on my horse's neck, and he trotted steadily forward. I admired the marvelous variety of color that the rays of the setting sun produced as they shone through the mass of dark green leaves and seemed to kindle their edges into flame.

"Suddenly I was startled out of my reverie by a slight noise which appeared to come from the undergrowth on either side of the road. Turning sharply round I grasped my revolver, but at the same moment I received a stunning blow on the back of my head which knocked me senseless from my saddle. Once more I recollect opening my eyes and thinking that I could see indistinctly one of the escaped criminals bending over me, and then all became a blank.

"It must have been late in the night when consciousness again returned to me. Slowly opening my eyes I saw before me the dark, blue vault of the sky and the full moon shining brightly. A dull, painful sensation at the back of my head prompted me to place my hand there, and I then discovered that I was bound hand and foot. Gradually I collected my thoughts. I remembered now the murderous attack in the forest, and a fearful foreboding flashed through my mind which almost caused my heart to stand still. I felt that I was laid across two short parallel projections, which cut into my shoulders and the back of my legs, causing me intense pain, and far below me I could hear the gentle plashing of water.

"Heavens! There could no longer be any doubt. I was lying stretched across Cayuga bridge, bound, incapable of moving an inch, with the hideous and absolutely certain prospect of being cut literally to pieces by the next train that passed. For a second time that night I swooned, and realized my situation, but by a powerful effort of will I recovered myself and tugged desperately at the ropes that bound me until they cut almost into my muscles. I shrieked and wept finally like a child. I made mad endeavors to roll myself into another position and then recollected that a careless movement might precipitate me into the flood below, bound hand and foot to sink like a stone!

"A shiver ran through my frame, and I lay motionless again, but not for long, for the light of the great, almost fearfully bright moon overhead, the ripple of the water deep below me, the breeze that came in light puffs and then died away again, giving place to a deathlike stillness, occasionally broken by the scream of some distant night bird—all was unbearable and caused me the anguish of death. And then the rails, the rails! My thoughts were torturing me, and yet I could not escape them. The wooden beams of the bridge vibrated perceptibly from the movement of the water below, and I thought that I could already feel the approach of the train, and my hair bristled with the horror of it. The breeze now blew somewhat stronger, and I imagined that I could already hear, far away in the distance, the puffing and panting of the locomotive, and my heart stood still, to beat with redoubled force the next moment.

"There are certain things, gentlemen, which are absolutely incomprehensible to me. One of them is the fact that I was able to survive that night. One thought stood over clear in my mind. I must endeavor by some means to shift my position—if possible, to one between the metals—if I did not wish, possibly even in the next moment, to become the prey of the most awful death one could conceive. I strained every muscle, every sinew, till I could strain no more. I wound and twisted myself and panted until I thought my head must burst, and after superhuman exertions which appeared to last an eternity and perhaps lasted but a minute I found myself in the hollow between the rails.

"Was I saved? I had no time to consider that or to rejoice over the fresh chance of life which was now offered to me, for while whole being concentrated itself in intent listening. Far away in the distance I could now hear—first of all indistinctly and then gradually increasing as it drew nearer and nearer—the regular, monotonous panting which heralds the approach of a locomotive. The fearful stillness of the night gave way as each minute passed to the more fearful noise, to the clanking and thundering of the engine as it roared toward me, and at the headlight of the American train. Now 1,000 feet more, now 500—all the horrors of hell possessed me, but I lay without moving a muscle. Once indeed I tried to scream. I could no longer hear my own voice. How, then, could the people on the train be expected to hear me? And now for an immeasurable short space of time a blaze of light beat down upon me and a blast of hot air rushed over me, then everything became dark and I heard a thunder as if the heavens were crashing in. Close, quite close, at scarcely a hairbreadth's distance, rushed the enormous mass over me. I was saved.

"Already half unconscious, I was still sensible of a deafening clattering and roaring above me, and I saw shadowy masses flying past. Still one moment more of deadly anguish—one of the coupling hooks, hanging somehow lower than the rest, had caught and torn a large piece out of the breast of my coat—then all objects seemed to whirl around me, the moon, the bridge and the lofty cliffs, in one mad dance, and I became insensible.

"When I next woke, I found myself in my own bed and around me well known faces. And now, to be brief, I had been found on the morning after that awful night by a plate layer who had recognized me and had brought me back to Auburn. For a fortnight I lay delirious with brain fever, hovering between life and death, but my strong constitution pulled me through. The first time after my recovery that I had occasion to use a looking glass I saw what traces those moments had left on me."

The doctor ceased speaking, but his pale face, the look of horror and the great beads of sweat on his forehead all showed how keen his recollection was of that terrible experience. We also had listened to his narrative with breathless attention, and it was some time before we could shake off the impression it had left upon us.—*Newton Graphic.*

The Warning Against Biennial Elections.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

It has been argued in several quarters, from the general apathy in our state campaign, that there was striking proof of the wisdom of biennial state elections. The proof would seem to be really just the other way. The same writers who say that apathy exists say also that it exists because of the extreme excitement and strain of the campaign last year. The people had so much politics then that now they want rest. Doubtless that is true.

Now the one conspicuous effect of infrequent elections, as illustrated by other states and as clearly shown by the condition of Boston politics since the term of the mayor was lengthened from one year to two, is to intensify the struggle between the parties. Party lines are drawn closer elsewhere than here where we retain frequent elections. Very opportunely, as afforded for the discussion of questions on their merit. Voters feel that the stake is great and that it must be secured for their party. This plays powerfully into the hands of the party bosses, who are a pleasure to the party manager than to have all questions of public good and all differences over the fitness of candidates merged in the excitement over the success of the party. Everything is done to stir party feeling. Independence of action and discrimination between men and measures is discouraged. Party orators inflame passion and prejudice and beg the reason in a whirl of excitement till election day.

Then comes reaction. People are "sick and tired of politics," as we have been told so frequently in the biennial campaign. They attend to business and think nothing of politics until another campaign is upon them. This is exactly what is wanted by the men who are in politics all the time for what they can make out of it. The condition of the country is left to the exceptional excitement of last year, after the strong argument against the system which provides only for excitement and reaction, for surfeit and then starvation.

While the people are indifferent is when the politicians get in their work and strengthen the machine so that it is impossible for public-spirited men to throw off those who are in politics to make a living by it. That is why so many honest politicians were for biennials in our state. The biennial policy is to merge state and national elections, when the former will be completely overshadowed by the latter. Such a result is what the party bosses want. Then comes reaction. People are "sick and tired of politics," as we have been told so frequently in the biennial campaign. They attend to business and think nothing of politics until another campaign is upon them. This is exactly what is wanted by the men who are in politics all the time for what they can make out of it. The condition of the country is left to the exceptional excitement of last year, after the strong argument against the system which provides only for excitement and reaction, for surfeit and then starvation.

Literary Notes.

It will be good news for the readers of "Vice Versa" and "The Tinted Venus" that Mr. F. Anstey is again developing the delightful vein of humor which has gained for him so many friends. His new book, under the title of "Baboo in England," is a most amusing picture of the educated Baboo in England. Mr. Anstey's delightful humor finds its fullest expression in the humorous language of the Baboo. His extraordinary adventures in the streets and shops of London and on the railways, his ridiculous social misadventures, his debut as a sportsman, and his exhibition of his ingenuity in the most perfect in their ingenious absurdity, and make up a chronicle which will be laughed over and quoted by many a reader. The adroit character of the Baboo is shown in the illustrations fully bear out the spirit of the text. This book is to be published immediately by D. Appleton and Company.

Industrial Freedom is the title of a book by David Macgregor Means, which is announced as dealing frankly and directly with the questions which are now uppermost in the public mind. In a fair and candid manner he discusses the present relations of labor and capital, the efficacy of legislation in dealing with economic problems, the results of interference with the natural laws of trade, the advisability of restricting the accumulation of wealth, the rights and wrongs of corporations, and kindred topics. His arguments deserve the attention of all interested in the subject. Persons who have been led to give support to socialist remedies because of their sympathy with the poor. Many considerations are presented showing that these remedies tend to aggravate the evils which they are advertised to cure. The Hon. David A. Wells has written an introduction for the book, which is to be published by D. Appleton and Company.

Of Sarah Grand's forthcoming novel, "The Beth Book," the following information has been obtained. This is the history of the heroine Beth. Since the publication of "The Heavenly Twins," Madame Grand has been at work upon this novel, which will be her most important literary undertaking. The new novel traces the development of a woman of genius from her birth to her marriage, and afterward. It is a most subtle and extraordinary study of a woman's psychological evolution, while as a story it is characterized by an abundance of delightful humor and incident. No book of recent years has been written with more care. With remarkable delicacy and subtlety the graphic power of expression the author depicts the attitude of the child toward the outer world and toward her parents, the effects of increasing knowledge upon the young girl, the hurried and hazy acquaintance with a larger world, the attitude of men toward women, and the position of women in modern society. Questions of intimate consequence are treated with delicacy and dignity. It is evident that the author has something to say which the public has been waiting to hear. Her novel is a book of serious import which will furnish abundant reason for thought and discussion. While some of the earlier scenes are laid in Ireland, the action takes place for the most part in London, and the reader is introduced to some vivid pictures of social and of political life in the metropolis—pictures which include the hospital as well the drawing room. It is also said that in the latter part of the book the author suggests some very striking contrasts in the attitude of Americans and Englishmen toward women.

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BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

The special features of Harper's Magazine for November are: "With the Greek Soldiers," by Richard Harding Davis. "A Pair of Patient Lovers," by William Dean Howells. "The City," by the North of Towry, by James Barnes. "The New Japan," by Toru Hoshi, the Japanese Minister to the United States. "In Memoriam—Olivia Susan Clemens," a poem, by S. L. Clemens. "The Century's Progress in Biology," by Henry Smith Williams, M. D. "Daniel Webster," by Carl Schurz. The magazine also contains the second installment of "Spanish John," by William McLenman, illustrated by Myrick, and "The Great Stone of Sardinia," by Frank R. Stockton, illustrated by Peter S. Newell, which reaches its final installment. The short stories of the number are "Joshua Goodenough's Old Letter," by Frederick Remond, illustrated by the author; "The Pardon of Sainte-Anne d'Auray in Brittany," by George Wharton Edwards, illustrated by the author; "Who Made the Match?" by Ruth L. Underhill; and "Number 1234," by Willis Boyd Allen. The poems are contributed by Margaret E. Sangster, S. L. Clemens, and Edith Proctor Clarke. In "The Editor's Study," Charles Dudley Warner discusses "The Decline of the Doughnut," "The Modern School of Fiction," "The Landlord of Lion's Head," "Captains Courageous," and "The Christian."

It is interesting to note that the November number of the "Atlantic Monthly," the first issue of its forty-first year, shows in the variety and value of its contents the same timeliness and energy which characterized the fortieth anniversary issue (October). The opening contribution is a review of the "New Life of Benjamin Franklin," another article which fittingly appears in this number is a paper by Ira N. Hollis of Harvard University, formerly of the United States Navy, on the frigate Constitution. With each of these contributions is spoken of together are another of E. L. Godkin's remarkable studies of "Democratic Problems," "The Peculiarities of American Municipal Government," and "Democracy and the Laboring Man," by F. J. Stimson, the well-known sociological student. A literary paper of unusual importance is "Forty Years of the Bacon Shakespear Folio," by John Fiske. There is another installment of F. Hopkinson Smith's dramatic story, "Caleb West," which amply fulfills the promise of earlier chapters. There are further installments of Dean Swift's letters, "The Letters of George Herbert Hill, and of 'Penelope's Progress,' by Kate Douglas Wiggin; a short story of unusual quality by Madeleine Lave Wynne, and poems by Helen Gray Cone and William A. Dana. Many old readers of the Atlantic will be gratified to find the Contributors' Club once more in this number. It was never the intention of the editors to discontinue it permanently, and its occasional appearance is promised in the future.

The contents of the November Scribners are: "The Business of a Wheat Farm," William Allen White (the conduct of great businesses—seventh paper). "The Workers," Walter A. Wyckoff, an experiment in reality. "The Farm hand," "A Prayer," Charles Edwin Markham. "With Dog and Gun," A. B. Frost. "City Vistas," Edith M. Thomas. "Rouge-et-Noir," Wolcott LeClair Beard. "Seiges d'Antan," Ross and Marriott Watson. "No Continuing City," Blanche Willis Howard. "Sainte-Benue," George McLean Harper. "The Dust," Gertrude Hall. "The Country Church in America," William B. Bigelow. "Uses of Photography," Gilbert Totten Wagon. Illustrated with photographs taken from balloons and kites with drawings of apparatus. "Night Photography," James B. Cunningham. "The Modern School of Fiction," "The Darker Specter," chapters XIV-XX, Sarah Barnwell Elliot, conclusion. "The Point of View," a questioning treatise on the discussion of friends, "The Field of Art," by H. P. Lovecraft, and "About the World," the New York Public Library; a Cherokee Pilgrimage.

With its brilliant special cover by Corwin Knapp Linson, Mark Twain's humorous diary of his voyage from India to South Africa, illustrated with immense spirit by A. G. Frost and Peter Newell; the first chapter of the "Dana Reminiscences of Men and Events of the Civil War," illustrated from the national Government Collection of Civil War Photographs, and the account of Edison's all but fabulous invention, the magnetic ore extractor, and the immense plant established in the New Jersey Mountains for its operation. The abundant accompanying pictures of the November number of McClure's Magazine may be fairly said to set a new standard in magazine literature. Robert Louis Stevenson's story of "St. Ives" is concluded in this number, and there are several interesting short stories and poems.

Miss Montresor's new novel, "At the Cross-Roads," places her in the first rank of the English women writers of the day, according to the London Literary World. At the Cross-Roads is to be published in America by D. Appleton and Company.

Some additional announcements of D. Appleton and Company include Marriage Customs of all Countries, by the Rev. H. N. Hutchinson; English Literature, by Edmund Gosse; The Freedom of Henry Marston, by M. Hamilton; Swedes and Friends, by Maxwell Gray; a new edition in colors of Mr. F. M. Chapman's Bird-Life, with seventy-five facsimile colored plates; a new edition of City Government in the United States, by Alfred R. Conkling, with a chapter on the Greater New York Charter; and a new uniform edition of Mr. Gilbert Parker's novels, The Trespasser, The Translation of a Savage, The Trail of the Sword, and Mrs. Falconer.

Single Tax Club.

The next meeting of the Newton Single Tax Club and Club will be held in the parlors of the Methodist church at Newtonville, Monday evening, Nov. 5th, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Mr. George Frank Stephens of Philadelphia, who has been for years prominently identified with the Single Tax movement and is regarded as one of its most able exponents. He was a close friend and co-worker with Henry George and was with him at the time of his death. He is to be the orator of the occasion at the Single Tax banquet at the Vendome, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 6th, and will remain over Sunday for the purpose of speaking to the Newton Single Tax Club, which is cordially invited.

The State League will give a luncheon to the officers and other persons of distinction belonging to the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage Association at the Hotel Vendome, Saturday p. m., Nov. 6th, at 2:30 o'clock. After the luncheon the company will be asked to listen to an exposition of the Single Tax, especially in its relation to the suffrage and social position of woman, by Mr. George Frank Stephens of Philadelphia. After the address questions as to the simplicity, certainty, adequacy, and, above all, the justice of the Single Tax as a solution of the land question, the labor question, and the social problem will be in order.

All are welcome. Seats reserved only for guests. Payment will be by ticket or one dollar at the table as usual. Reception at 1:30; luncheon at 2:30. Exercises will close by 6.

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CITY OF NEWTON.

Registration of Voters, 1897.

City Election, Tuesday, Dec. 7th

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters, commencing Monday, November 8th, 1897, will hold sessions for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward Lists at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily, from 8:30 A. M. to 12 M.; except Wednesday, November 17th, as hereinafter stated; and from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturday, November 13th, when the hours are from 8:30 A. M. to 12 M.; also

At City Hall, Friday, November 12th, 7:30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

Newton Centre—Associates' Hall, Pleasant street, Saturday, November 13th, 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock P. M., and 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock P. M.

At City Hall, Wednesday, November 17, from 12 M. to 10 o'clock P. M., which is the last session of the Registrars preceding the election of December 7, 1897, and after 10 o'clock P. M. of said November 17, 1897, the Registrars will not, before the Election, add any names to the

NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

- Allen, Francis H., ed. Nature's Diary. 101.846
- A year-book of selections from the writings of Thoreau, Burroughs, Torrey, Emerson, Whittier, and others.
- Art of Conversing; or Dialogues of the Day. 54.1163
- By the author of "Manners and Rules of Good Society" (54.574). Introduces subjects for social discussion, and gives examples of conversations for various occasions.
- Bennett, John. Master Skylark: a Story of Shakespeare's Time. 64.1783
- Blaisdell, Albert F. A Practical Physiology: a Text-Book for Higher Schools. 102.795
- Dixson, Zella Allen, ed. Comprehensive Subject Index to Universal Prose Fiction. 54.1165
- An arrangement into an alphabetical subject list of works of fiction, which are founded on fact—historical, physical, psychological or moral; that is, novels with a purpose, with a definite lesson to teach.
- Garrett, Edmund H. Romance and Reality of the Puritan Coast, with many Little Pictures, Authentic or Fanciful. 31.537
- Hallowell, Norwood P. The Negro as a Soldier in the War of the Rebellion. 73.310
- Henderson, C. R. The Social Spirit in America (Chautauqua Reading Circle Literature). 84.434
- Henty, George Alfred. With Moore at Corunna. 64.1789
- Ingersoll, Ernest. Wild Neighbors: Outdoor Studies in the United States. 102.797
- Illustrated papers on gray squirrels, the puma, the coyote, the badger, the woodchuck, and other American animals.
- Kirk, Ellen Olney. Revolt of a Daughter. 61.1153
- La Farge, John. An Artist's Letters from Japan. 36.373
- The work is illustrated by the artist's own pictures.
- Lejeune, Louis Francois. Memoirs of Baron Lejeune, Aide-de-Camp to Maréchal, Davout, and Oudinot; translated and ed. by Mrs. Arthur Bell. 95.572
- MacKay, Angus M. The Brontës in Fact and Fiction. 92.798
- The writer seeks to correct some misrepresentations which have appeared recently in print.
- Montgomery, David H. Student's American History. 72.411
- Is especially full in its treatment of political and constitutional history, and of the chief events bearing on the development of the nation.
- Parker, Mary Saltonstall. At the Squire's in Old Salem. [a poem]. 54.1135
- Ramsay, William Mitchell. Impressions of Turkey during Twelve Years' Wanderings. 34.454
- Contains chapters on Armenia and the work of the American missionaries.
- Reimann, Heinrich, ed. Internationales Volksliederbuch. 107.828
- A collection of songs of various nations, the words being mostly in foreign languages.
- Saunders, Marshall. The King of the Park. 64.1798
- The scene of this story, which teachers kindness to the cat as "Beautiful Joe" to the horse, is laid in Boston.
- Stevenson, Robert Louis. St. Ives: being the Adventures of a French Prisoner in England. 64.1804
- Taunton, Ethelred L. The English Black Monks of St. Benedict: a sketch of their History from the Coming of St. Augustine to the Present Day. 96.450
- Tyler, Moses Coit. Literary History of the American Revolution, 1763-83. Vol. 2, 1776-83. 57.417
- Vol. 1 traced the development of political discontent in the Anglo-American colonies. Vol. 2 traces the development of the Revolutionary struggle under the altered conditions.
- Ward, Susan Hayes, and Watson, Mary L. Green Guess Book. 51.630
- One hundred and four characters, with a final page of answers.
- White, Eliza Orne. A Browning Courtship, and other Stories. 61.1155
- White, Henry Alexander. Robert E. Lee and the Southern Confederacy, 1867-70. Heroes of the Nations series. 93.701
- E. P. THURSTON, Librarian.
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NONANTUM.

—Concrete crossings have been constructed on Chapel street this week.

—Miss Nellie Brady of Lawrence is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Bothwick of Rustic street.

—Thos. Dunlavy has left his position at the Etna mills to assume new duties at the Glendale mills.

—Mr. Hugh Monahan, contractor, of Cook street, broke an ankle bone in alighting from his carriage near his home, Monday morning.

—A quantity of clothing valued at \$8.60 was stolen from the clothesline of Samuel McDonald on Bridge street, Friday evening of last week.

—The harvest concert at the North Evangelical church last Sunday evening was well attended by a large number of the congregation.

—Rev. Mr. Capen of Watertown addressed an interested gathering at the Buell Baptist mission on Bridge street last Sunday afternoon.

—The Nonantum Club held its regular monthly meeting Monday evening. The business of the evening included the election of a new member.

—Morse's field will be the scene of a lively football match tomorrow afternoon, when the Allen school eleven lines up against the Garden City A. C. football team.

—About 1.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon an alarm was sounded from box 24 for a fire in the barber shop of Victor Dubois on Dalby street. The blaze was caused by the explosion of a kerosene stove, and had gained considerable headway before it was extinguished. Damage \$25. The building is owned by Joseph Gingras.

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NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Jas. W. Walworth of Newton Centre will preach in the Baptist church, Sunday evening next at 6.30.

—The Echo bridge fire and drum corps were heard last Monday at the democratic rally in Newtonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong of Chestnut street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—The plastering in the Baptist parsonage is done and the building is being pushed rapidly towards completion.

—The Echo bridge council Royal Arcanum held its regular meeting in the lodge hall Wednesday evening. Several applications for membership were received.

—The football club's rooms on High street are being thoroughly refitted for the coming winter season, and when completed, the quarters of this well known club will be equal to any in this vicinity.

—The monthly meeting and supper of the Quinobegun association was held Tuesday evening in the club rooms on Chestnut street. The members and their friends were out in force, and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed.

—The heavy rains Monday evening caused a large amount of water to settle in a pool near the Eliot street bridge, which for a time considerably delayed traffic. Patrolman Nat Seaver was promptly on the scene, and prevented any damage to teams or pedestrians by placing lanterns in the street.

—Mrs. Mary Kerrivan, widow of Patrick Kerrivan, died Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Cahill on Boylston street. She was 77 years of age and was a pioneer in this part of Newton, having moved here from Salem a half century ago. Mrs. Kerrivan was of a most kindly disposition and was much beloved by a wide circle of friends. She leaves six children, Mrs. Cahill and Messrs. William, Richard, Thomas, John and Edward Kerrivan. Funeral was held Wednesday from St. Mary's church.

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NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crehore will make Boston their home during the remainder of the fall and winter.

—Mr. Chas. Severson and family have moved to a part of Mr. P. C. Baker's double house on Grove street.

—The main line of the sewer has been completed to Washington street, where work on the ledge is still going on.

—Mr. C. H. Fuller has rented the Mills house, Columbia street, and takes boarders and roomers, for whose comfort and convenience he has all facilities.

—Sixty-five votes were cast in this precinct at state election Tuesday. A surprise of the balloting was the defeat of the new city charter at this place.

—Officer Seaver captured 3 tramps, Monday, near the Weston line, and they were arraigned before Judge Kennedy, Tuesday, on a charge of setting fire to woods in Weston. For each offense they were sentenced to six months at Bridgewater.

—Sunday afternoon Patrolmen Seaver and Tainter had an exciting chase after a trio of alleged tramps, who came wandering into Lower Falls. Previous to reaching the Falls the men set a large fire on the Matthews estate, in which, which, but for the prompt action by the owner of the estate and his hired men, would have spread to several outbuildings. In court, Monday morning, the men gave their names as James Whitaker, James Donnelly and John Burn, and each was sentenced to six months at the state farm.

How to Cure Bilious Colic.

I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genest, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

TREMONT THEATRE.—Mrs. Fiske's great play "Tess of the D'Urbervilles," which has been running at the Tremont Theatre, is attracting crowded houses nightly. The play is full of heart interest and teems with stirring incidents. It is the play of a century, and has been accorded universal praise for its beauty of life and action. Mrs. Fiske's wonderful portrayal of "Tess" is said to be the greatest role undertaken yet by her in a modern drama. All the other roles are impersonated with a vividness and truth to originality that is seldom equalled and never been surpassed. A great scene is the beautiful reproduction of Stonehenge, the circular pile of rocks placed on a mound in Wiltshire and erected by the Druids many centuries ago. It is here "Tess" seeks refuge from her pursuers. The scene opens just before day-break, when the moon is waning, and the nearest twinkling star sinks in a glowing bath of rising sun—light which creeps in through the architraves of the temple and wakes "Tess," who sleeps on the altar. The unfortunate woman looks at her lover, and then at her pursuers, and rising with hands outstretched to the sun, offers herself, "Love's Sacrifice," with the welcoming words "The Sun has come."

Beginning Monday, Nov. 15, E. S. Willard in his new play, "The Physician," at the Tremont Theatre.

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REAL ESTATE.

A SYNDICATE OF NEWTON MEN HAS PURCHASED THE FARLOW ESTATE, AND WILL DEVELOP IT.

The largest estate in the settled portions of the city of Newton has just been sold, a syndicate buying the John S. Farlow property, through Wiley S. & Frank Edmonds.

The property comprises some 40 acres of land, bounded by Waverley avenue, Kendrick and Brighton streets. It has a frontage of 1000 feet on the first named street; 1400 feet on Kendrick, and 1200 feet on Brighton street. It is assessed for \$96,000. On the land are the mansion and other houses, fine greenhouses, stables, etc.

The syndicate, which is composed principally of Newton men, has had plans made for the development of the entire parcel. Streets are to be laid out at 40 and 50 foot widths, and of a total length of about 7000 feet. The lots will have an average depth of 125 feet, and there will be 156 of them, varying from 12,000 to 15,000 square feet in area.

This land is among the highest in the city, rising to nearly 250 feet at the crest, and sloping to the streets named. Development has passed it on two sides, and in addition to the Boston & Albany railroad, the property has transit facilities by way of the electric cars on Tremont street, from which streets lead to Brighton street, a comparatively short distance.

This estate was the home of John S. Farlow, a wealthy gentleman interested in railroads extensively and in Boston real estate. He gave Farlow Park to the city of Newton, and contributed liberally to the Newton Public Library.

Other property, which included this magnificent estate, the Lincoln building on the corner of State street and Merchants' row in Boston among its real estate holdings, is in charge of William Minot and others, trustees.

The development of this estate will make a great difference to that portion of Newton. A few years ago the Lord estate, which is a large tract of residential property on the opposite side of Waverley avenue, was partially cut and lots sold from it. The tendency in Newton is toward the breaking up of these fine country places, which were once so characteristic of the city.

The sale of another estate in Newton has just been closed, the property sold being situated on Warwick road, West Newton, belonging to Fred W. Smith, the purchaser, Alfred Cheney, buying for a home. The property consists of a new frame house of 10 rooms and a lot of 10,000 square feet of land. The terms of transfer were private.

The Hotel Langham, on Washington street, Boston, has again changed hands, the Newton Land & Improvement Company selling to James J. Grace. It will be remembered that the land company got the hotel from Henry B. Williams in exchange for land in Newtonville. The property comprises the entire block of land on Washington street, between Worcester and Springfield streets, and running back to Lincoln place, 22,944 square feet. It includes the six-story white marble hotel building. In the latter there are also six stores. The land is assessed for \$88,100 and the building for \$211,900, making an even \$300,000 in all. In connection with the sale of the Hotel Langham, mentioned above, J. J. Grace has sold to George W. Morse and others, trustees of the land company, about 500,000 feet of land in Allston and Brighton, divided as follows: A lot on tract on Washington, Richards, and Mathew streets, containing about 558,000 square feet; the corner of Washington and Nonantum streets, containing about 35,000 square feet; a lot of land on Ash street containing about 160,000 square feet, and a lot on Webster avenue, containing about 31,250 square feet. All of this land is assessed for about \$69,000.

Wiley S. & Frank Edmonds have sold the new house and about 9000 feet of land, recently completed by H. H. Read, on the Commonwealth avenue, between the new Grand avenue, to Mr. Eben Sumner of Newburyport, for immediate occupancy; also from Mr. Geo. W. Taylor, the corner lot of 9000 feet on Elm street, near Ward street, to Mr. E. E. Clifford who is building thereon a 10-room colonial residence for the market. Rentals affected comprise the new house of A. D. Cladin on Grant avenue, near Commonwealth avenue, to Mr. F. C. Hatch from Chicago; new house of J. O. Kidder on Bradford road, Newton Highlands, to Rev. Lawrence Phelps; colonial house on Elm street, near Ward street, recently vacated by Mr. T. D. Wales, Jr., to Mr. F. L. Ferguson of Melrose.

Jane E. Palmer has sold through John L. Belneke, a tract of 50,000 square feet of land situated on the corner of Commonwealth avenue boulevard and Manet road, Newton Centre. The purchaser was G. G. Brewer, who will improve the land for investment. The purchase price is not known.

Who Pays the Tax?

To the Editor of the Graphic:—In the last issue of the GRAPHIC, Mr. Fillebrown wants me "to remember that while the tax on the ground rent is always paid by the owner, the tax on buildings is never paid by the owner. * * * The capitalist, who builds stores and apartments to let, never pays these taxes, but they are finally paid by labor every time."

Now, I submit that such would be a queer arrangement for the payment of taxes. Who is it, pray, that segregates these taxes, puts the moiety of land tax on the owner and thrusts upon innocent labor the mighty tax levied on the great apartment building? It would be far more correct to say that all taxes, like all other obligations, "are finally paid by labor." Changing the tax from one form of property to another cannot alter this persistent law. This law cannot be abrogated until such time as a method can be found whereby "final payments" can be made in something other than labor.

One other remark demands attention: "Few poor men are large holders of vacant land." I shall not attempt a contradiction, inasmuch as a large holder of vacant land is rarely poor. But there are some poor men, who are small holders of vacant or but partially used land, and there are many wealthy men, who are large holders of land in like condition. Does Mr. Fillebrown deny that the application of the single tax, unlimited, would work an injustice to them?

It is not so much from the standpoint of a method of taxation that the single taxers deserve criticism as because of their continual clatter about its being a remedy at all adequate for the existing social ills. If they would stand on their pedestal of taxation, leaving out their false pretenses, there would be some profit in the discussion. Everlastingly hiding behind the poor workman and the landless tramp quite obscures the real equality of their proposition, i. e., free trade; bonds and buildings and all personal property freed from taxation; the continuation of the twin highwaymen, interest and profit; the elaboration of that gigantic inequality, competition, and its immortal concomitant, the wage system, with all the sins and horrors flowing therefrom.

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A young lady in New York City relates the curious case of her sister who suffered from a sort of nervous dyspepsia—that was what the doctor called it. She was despondent low-spirited, inclined to imagine all sorts of things. One thing especially seemed to be in her mind; that was the idea that abscesses were forming in different parts of her body. The sister who tells the story had found Ripans Tabules a specific for headache, and generally had a supply on hand. One day, more in joke than in earnest, she said to the afflicted one: "Try these: they'll cure you." Well, she did try them, and strangely enough the Tabules did cure her. The despondency left her. This was nearly a year ago. She took less than a dollar's worth in all, and has not taken one for over eight months now.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Tvers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.
—Mr. John Vachon left this week for a trip to Canada.
—Dr. F. E. Banfield is building a house on Alden street.
—Mr. Wm. L. Howell has resumed piano lessons. See card.
—Rev. E. Y. Mullins preached at Cambridge last Sunday evening.
—W. S. Hooley is building a house for Mr. C. W. Smith on Oxford road.
—Mr. Richard A. Gallahan has removed to Newtonville avenue, Newtonville.
—Miss Clementina Butler of Crescent avenue is visiting in Providence, R. I.
—Mr. J. B. Shaw and family have moved into the Hassler house on Elgin street.
—Mrs. C. W. Hassler of Elgin street has removed to Boston for the winter months.
—Mr. Lindsey Loring and family have returned to their house on Hammond street.
—Mr. J. A. Roehette, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to his home in Quebec.

—Mrs. H. W. Fuller of Halifax is visiting her son, Mr. Andrew Washburn of Walnut street.
—Mrs. E. J. Mears of Crescent avenue is entertaining Mrs. Julia C. Flag, a former resident of this place.
—Newton Christian Endeavor Union, Y. M. C. A. rooms, Newton, Monday, Nov. 15th, 7:45 p. m. Come.
—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook of Ticonderoga, N. Y., are visiting at Mrs. C. B. Garey's on Gibbs street.

—Bicycle repairer L. A. Vachon has purchased a vulcanizing oven and enameling apparatus for use in his shop.
—On and after Nov. 1, all passenger work done by us will be at city prices. E. W. Pratt, Robert Weir, R. J. Ross.

—Miss Agnes Thrasher, who has been visiting Miss Nora Stuart of Knowles street, has returned to her home in Portland, Me.

—Bruno & Salamone, the contractors for the Metropolitan water board's main from Chestnut Hill to Ward street, have completed their part of the work.

—The Commonwealth avenue street railway has added two handsome new trolley cars to its rolling stock. They are built on the latest plan, and will be put in service next week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Vachon, (nee English), have returned from their wedding tour and are making their home with Mrs. Vachon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. English of Centre.

—The routes of the letter-carriers were changed Monday, and an additional carrier of Mrs. Ellen Kneeland of Beacon street, and Mr. Edward McAdams. A reception was held in the evening at the bride's home.

—The Newton Centre Golf Club prizes are on exhibition at the bank's window, and are attracting a great deal of admiration. The first championship prize is a silver service, and the second a silver candelabra. The prize cup is also on view.

—The examinations of letter carriers and postoffice clerks advertised to be held under the supervision of the Newton Centre board of examiners, Nov. 6, and Dec. 4, will be held at Boston, room 145, Postoffice building, under the auspices of the state board of examiners.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Mrs. F. O. Browning, Mrs. Caidon, Miss O'Connor, Misses Pierce, Miss Kate Roche, Maggie Teahan, Mrs. Waik, Miss Bertha M. Steer, Webster Bruce, James Cranvane, D. J. Donovan, D. H. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Eliot W. Pratt and E. L. Rich.

—Monday morning the car service between this place and Newton was opened. The running time was fairly good considering the weather, and the unavoidable delays. Since then the cars have been making excellent time. The riding has been comparatively light, but the number of passengers will probably increase with the coming of the cold weather. Cars leave the terminus on Centre street every twenty minutes, two, twenty-two and forty-two minutes past the hour.

—There was a lively session of the "Deedrick school" in Bray hall, Monday evening, which afforded entertainment for about 400 representative Newton Centre people. The affair was under the direction of President Smith, and the entertainment committee of the Newton Centre Improvement society, and was given for the purpose of raising the balance necessary to complete the playground front. About \$200 was received. The stage setting was a splendid representation of the interior of an old-fashioned school house, and the scholars in their ludicrous make-ups almost made the illusion complete. Of course it seemed unusual to see such little boys should have luxuriant moustaches and beards, and one or two of the cute little girls possessed such remarkable bass voices. The costumes alone were the cause of no end of merriment, but when the classes stumbled through their lessons and several of the "shining lights" made their star orations, the laughter and fun was at its height. The singing too was capital, the choice of selections being thoroughly consistent with the remainder of the performance. The evening's program began with chorus singing, and was followed by class recitations. As it was visiting day, the parson and the school committee were present to give the scholars a cursory examination in "reading, riting, and 'rithmetic." This gave each member of the school an opportunity to introduce a good joke or some local hit. Of course the latter was a leading feature and there were few leading citizens or local characters who escaped a good shot. The street railway, postoffice, B. & A., etc., were hauled without gloves, and persons were the order of the day. Each one contributed fairly to the different parts of the entertainment and the honors should be evenly divided. Mr. Samuel Ward's oration was particularly funny, and Alderman Bailey's long recitation caught forth considerable applause. Miss Alice Sylvester's song was very prettily sung, and demanded an encore. Mr. Ayres rendered "Friends, Romans, countrymen," in true dramatic style, baring the gestures. The other specialties were in capable hands, and enthusiastically received. The different parts were well distributed, and the work of each one showed they possessed dramatic ability, which certainly must have been a pleasant surprise to their many friends who enjoyed the performance. The schoolmarm was Mrs. Helen F. Brigham of Boston, who assumed her part in a natural and pleasing manner, leaving nothing to be desired in her work. The following ladies and gentlemen took part: Mr. Wm. E. Webster, Mr. A. H. Leonard, and Mrs. J. Albert Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Hovey, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Merrill, Alderman and Mrs. Henry Bailey, Mrs. Strout, Miss Alice Sylvester, Mr. Walter Sabin, Rev. Mr. Cobb, Rev. Mr. Kilburn, Mr. M. G. Green, Mr. J. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Huntress, Mr. Charles E. Kecey, Mr. Samuel Ward,

Mr. Gustav Elmer, and Mr. Chas. Copeland.

—Have your photos taken now before the holiday rush. Watkins, Newton Centre.

—Dr. C. H. Fessenden has been appointed on the medical staff of Newton Hospital.

—Mr. Josiah J. White, well known by our older residents, is with his son at the Pelham house.

—The ladies of the Unitarian church will hold their annual sale of preserves and mince-meat, Saturday, Nov. 13th, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

—The Newton Centre Golf Club will hold its last race of the season at the club house on Langley road, tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

—The Epworth League meeting, Sunday evening, will be led by Miss Florence Spear. Subject, "Faith." References, Heb. 10, 38; Heb. 11; Heb. 2, 4.

—Mr. David S. Farnham has returned from a business trip to the Indian Territory. He brought home some remarkable specimens of large ears of corn.

—A course of Emergency lectures will shortly be given by physicians of Newton in the Unitarian church parlors. Subject and dates to be announced later.

—Mr. C. W. Royce, Mr. W. R. Merrill, Rev. E. M. Noyes, and Mr. E. A. Wilkie played in the open tournament of the Cambridge Golf Club last Saturday, and made some excellent scores.

—Next Sunday at the Unitarian church services at 10:30. Sermon, "Loyalty to our Faith." Sunday school at 12. Hale Union at 7:30. Address by Miss E. R. Ross, secretary of the Y. P. R. U. All are cordially invited.

—Rev. Mr. Mullins will deliver a course of addresses on the characters in the Bible of Esther. Sunday evening, at 7:30, he will speak on "Ahasuerus the King; or the Perils of Power." Each character contains timely and practical lessons for our times.

—The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Staples were received yesterday from Prince Edward Island. Services were held today at the chapel at Newton Cemetery. Mrs. Staples' husband, John H. Staples, died some two years ago at his home on Paul street.

—Rev. Luther Freeman will deliver the first of a series of four sermons on "Noble Living" at the Methodist church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The topic of the first sermon will be "Loving One's Self." The topic for Nov. 14, will be "The Value of a Man." For Nov. 21st, "Friends and How to Gain Them." Nov. 28th, "Enemies."

—The water board of the city government has ordered the construction of hydrants on Beacon street, near the cemetery. This part of the city has been in need of water service since the construction of the sewer, which caused it serious damage. The work was ordered on the recommendation of Chief Randlett, who considered it very necessary.

—The Union of Newton A. A. lined up against the Orient A. A. eleven of this place last Saturday and defeated them by a score of 12 to 0. The playing of Dumm of the Union was the feature of the game. The score: Union A. A. 12; Orient A. A. 0; touchdowns by Dumm 2; goals kicked by Kenway 2; umpire, Ryan of Garden City A. A.; referee, Johnson of Newton High school.

—An Epworth League social was held Tuesday evening in the vestry of the Methodist church. There was no business transacted as there were not enough present to constitute a quorum. The game of Familiar Faces was played; Dr. West receiving the first and Miss Clara McAdams the second prize. Dr. West contributed to the entertainment by illustrating on the black board scenes from American History. Light refreshments were served and the meeting was then adjourned.

—Col. Edward H. Haskell, who was a member of the state board of lunacy and charity, has resigned that office. Mr. Haskell's term does not expire till 1901. The valuable services he had rendered while a member of the state board made him a desirable public servant. He resigns on account of business reasons. The work of the board is exacting, and Mr. Haskell does not feel that he can continue to give the time to it which he has in the past.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—The C. L. S. C. will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Whittemore.

—Miss Annie Hyde has been spending a few days in Lowell among relatives.

—Mrs. Cobb has as her guests a sister, Mr. Cobb and her daughter, from Maine.

—The next meeting of the Monday Club will be with Mrs. Estabrook, Griffin avenue.

—Mr. A. F. Hayward has gone to Philadelphia for a short stay on business matters.

—Mr. W. H. Seaver of Hartford street has been on a business trip to Connecticut this week.

—Mr. W. S. Fewkes and family have taken a part of Mr. Rand's double house on Clark street.

—Mr. J. E. Hills has gone to Ohio, and will be the guest of a former business partner for a few days.

—Newton Christian Endeavor Union, Y. M. C. A. rooms, Newton, Monday, Nov. 15th, 7:45 p. m. Come.

—The West End Literary Club will meet on Monday, Nov. 8th, with Mrs. Wm. Coggeshall, Floral avenue.

—Mr. B. F. Brown and wife have returned from their short wedding trip, and are at their home on Hartford street.

—Mr. G. H. Mellen, a Worcester lawyer, will soon occupy a house on Fisher avenue, belonging to Miss Duncklee of Newton.

—If you wish to subscribe for the Newton Graphic or advertise in same, please call on E. H. Greenwood, agent, Stevens building.

—A good display of Chrysanthemums can be seen at the Fewkes greenhouse; also at the greenhouse of Mr. E. H. Corey, Jr.

—The Sunday evening Talk at the Congregational church next Sunday evening, will be by Mr. A. L. Blair of Boston, on "The Citizen King."

—In Precinct 2, Ward 5, of the four hundred and thirty names on the voting list, two hundred and forty-nine voted at the election held on Tuesday.

—Mr. H. A. Spear, Mr. J. T. Waterhouse and Dr. Withee have returned from their hunting expedition in Maine, bringing with them some of their game.

—Miss Helen F. May entered last week upon duties as teacher of gymnastics and physiology in Miss Spencer's private school for young ladies, Euclid avenue, Cleveland, O.

—At the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday, Rev. Geo. S. Painter, Ph. D., pastor, at 10:45 a. m., Holy Communion; 7 p. m., lecture, "The Battle of Europe." 8:15, Epworth League. All are welcomed.

—The monthly sociable of the Congregational society took place on Wednesday evening in the chapel. In the early evening a most beautiful supper was served in the dining room, in charge of a large committee of ladies, after which piano selections were given by Miss Stone, a reading by Mr. W. B. Wood, and several vocal selections finely rendered by Mr. Gorton, with Mrs. Gorton at the piano accompanist. It was eminently a social occasion. All new comers and strangers were cordially welcomed.

ly welcomed. There was a very large attendance.

—Mr. J. H. Wentworth is having a private stable built in the rear of his residence at Elliot.

—Mrs. Colburn of Lincoln street, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Barnes, at Newton Centre, has been quite ill, and in the care of a nurse. Since closing her house here it has been entered and thoroughly ransacked, but we hear that nothing was carried away.

—The Ladies' Aid Society connected with the Congregational church sent this week two barrels of clothing to Mrs. G. W. Gould of Southern Pines, North Carolina, to be distributed to destitute persons in that vicinity; and the society are also engaged in work for needy ones in our own neighborhood.

—William R. Franks of Boston, while riding on Walnut street, Newton Highlands, last evening, lost control of his bicycle and came into collision with a tree. He was thrown from the wheel and struck heavily on his head. He was badly cut and bruised, and his left arm was fractured. After being attended by a physician he was removed to his home.

—The piano recital given by Miss Lillian F. Lamkin, assisted by Miss M. A. Hollings, soprano, and Mr. Charles H. Allen, violinist, at Highland Club Hall, last Thursday evening, was a very interesting affair. The ushers were Messrs. Chas. H. Watson, Francis C. Whitman of Dorchester and William H. Meyer of Brookline. The program was as follows:

I a Fantasia	Remhold
b Andantino	Ten Brink
c Gavotte	Miss Lamkin.
II Irish Love Song	Lang
III a Solfegietto	Gratzmehle
b Au Hameau	Godard
IV Violin soli	Miss Lamkin.
a Mazurka	Ries
b Mazurka	Wieniauski
V Song, My Little Love	Hawley
VI a At the Spinning Wheel	Von Wilm
b Fable	Raff
c Improvisation	Miss Lamkin.

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—Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Webber return today from their wedding trip, and will take possession of their new home on Centre street.

—A mass meeting of workmen is called at Forest's hall in Nonantum block, Monday evening. The object is to interest those not citizens to become voters.

—About 9:45 o'clock last Saturday evening, hose 1 company was called out on a still alarm to extinguish an incipient blaze on the vacant land at the corner of Waverley avenue and Tremont street.

—Wednesday evening at Belfast, Me., the marriage of Mr. W. L. Beberly of this place, and Miss May Carr of Belfast. Mr. and Mrs. Beberly will reside with Mrs. R. Q. Barlow on Parsons street, West Newton.

—The impressions in the minds of many Newton people that the Newton Star Course is a commendable undertaking under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, is erroneous. The entertainments are being given in the Y. M. C. A. hall. See advertisement in this paper.

—A call which was issued a few days ago by the colored voters of this city for the formation of an "H. E. Cobb Republican Club" has met with very little response. At the time set for the formation of the organization the chairman and only a few loyal friends came out, and it was decided to postpone the matter indefinitely.

—The clubhouse of the Nonantum Club was crowded last night upon the occasion of a debate on the topic, "The Single Tax." The debaters were Mr. C. B. Fillebrown of Newton and Mr. William Jenks of Nonantum. The debate was full of interest, Mr. Fillebrown taking the affirmative and Mr. Jenks the negative side of the question.

—Seldom does it fall to those living outside of Boston, to have given in their midst such a comprehensive and thoroughly enjoyable course of lectures as Leon Vincent inaugurated at the Eliot chapel last week. Mr. Vincent's lecture on Thackeray was a rare treat to all lovers of the author of "The Roundabout Papers," and one long to be remembered. Few men combine in such a marked degree discriminating judgment and wholesome enthusiasm as Mr. Vincent.

—The police department yesterday morning, set its lodgers at work. Eighteen tramps were locked up at station 2, Wednesday night. Yesterday morning, under police escort, they were marched to the gravel pit on California street, where they were given a hearty breakfast, and were compelled to pay for their board and lodging by five hours' work at the screen. This practice was, last winter, found to materially reduce the number applying for lodgings, and will be continued this year.

—Mr. Leon H. Vincent's lecture, last evening, on "Carlyle and His Wife," at Eliot chapel, called out a large attendance and proved of great interest. Much information about this celebrated couple was given, which was new to most of his hearers, among which was the statement that Jane Welch was one of the most beautiful women of her time, with suitors by the score. But she was capricious and exacting, and was not the woman to get along with her rather difficult husband.

—There was complete incompatibility of temper between the ill-mated pair. Carlyle's literary work was neglected, and many details not easily found were given, and the whole lecture was full of interesting points. Those who did not attend missed a rare intellectual treat. The subject of the next lecture is Victor Hugo, and it will be given in two weeks.

—Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing, Mason's, 380 Centre street, Eliot block. If

—A chalk-talk for boys will be given at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Subject, "Liberty." All boys are welcome.

—The Ladies Social Circle of the M. E. church are to hold a bazar in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Dec. 14, 15, and 16, in behalf of the building fund.

—Clothesline thieves paid a visit to the premises of a Middle street, Nonantum, resident, Wednesday evening, and stole about \$25 worth of clothing.

—For Saturday only. Fancy native chickens, only 18 cents per pound; fresh native speck, only 10 cents per peck. Corner Market, 324 Centre St.

—Mrs. Rebecca G. Kidder of Watertown has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Miss Fannie Maude, to Dr. Charles Albert Davenport, to take place Wednesday evening, Nov. 17, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Watertown.

—The first social season of the members of the Methodist church was held Wednesday afternoon and evening. Supper was served at 6:30 o'clock, after which the company enjoyed an entertainment program made up of musical and literary numbers.

—Mrs. Walter Stearns was heard in Lynn, Wednesday evening, in one of a course of lectures given by the Women's Alliance and held in the Unitarian church. The organ accompaniment to Mrs. Stearns' Faust reading was most ably rendered by Mr. Chas. Albion Clark. A large and appreciative audience enjoyed the entertainment.

—About 10 o'clock Wednesday morning an electric on the Newton street railway collided with a lumber team near the Church street crossing. The driver of the team was endeavoring to turn from Washington street to Church when the wagon pole struck the front platform of the car, badly damaging it. No one was injured and the passengers were little the worse for their shaking up.

—An assembly, under the direction of Mr. Will T. Coppins and Mr. John Alden, will be given Thanksgiving eve in Temple hall, Newtonville. Similar parties have been given by these gentlemen in former years and have always met with great success among the younger society people.

—All friends of the Y. M. C. A. are cordially invited to attend the informal reception to be given by the Women's Auxiliary in the beautiful association rooms, next Tuesday evening, from 7:30 to 10 o'clock. President Tucker and Mayor Cobb will make brief addresses. Mr. H. M. Moore of Boston will be the principal speaker of the evening. Physical Director Wyatt will give an exhibition of torch swinging, and a demonstration of gymnasium class work by juniors.

—The Cuban and Spanish membership contest of the Y. M. C. A. culminated in a victory feast, last evening, when about ninety hungry soldiers gathered in the association hall. The Spaniards gained the victory and enjoyed a royal feast provided by the Women's Auxiliary under the direction of Mrs. Whitney. The Cubans consoled themselves with crackers and water.

—Mr. E. N. Soule, commander of the victorious Spanish soldiers, won the handsome gold watch, first individual prize.

—Patrons of the Newton Star Course can expect a rare treat next week, Wednesday, when Wulf Fries, the famous veteran cellist, will appear, assisted by Helen Winslow Potter, a leading Boston soprano, and other excellent talent. Mr. Fries has been over 50 years in this country, playing to the finest audiences from sea to sea. Though nearly 70 years of age the firmness of his touch and fineness of his technique has not suffered one whit. Members of the Y. M. C. A. have benefit of a reduction in the prices of tickets.

—The ladies of Grace church propose holding a sale on Wednesday, Nov. 10th, from 2 till 10 o'clock p. m. On this occasion several novelties will be presented. A linen descendant of the goose that laid the golden egg will be present for the entertainment of the little ones. There will also be a dolls' wedding reception to add to the attractiveness of the fair. The usual table for useful and fancy articles, and a good substantial supper will be served for 50 cents. The public are cordially invited to assist the ladies by their presence and patronage.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of the Newton Young Men's Christian Association will give an informal reception Tuesday evening, Nov. 9, from 7:45 to 10 o'clock, in Association rooms, Nonantum building. Hon. H. E. Cobb, and H. M. Moore of Somerville will speak. Singing by W. H. Drumham, followed by gymnastics and refreshments. A most cordial invitation is extended to everyone in all parts of our city to be present. It is hoped that all those who have not inspected the new and commodious rooms and the gymnasium will take advantage of the occasion to do so.

WABAN.

—Mr. H. M. Wardwell has returned from a two weeks' hunting trip.

—A musicale is to be given by Miss Margaret Seaver at Waban hall, tonight.

—The electric lights will be in operation at the railroad station in a few days.

—The returns of the election were received at the Waban apothecary, election night.

—Contractor Jere Cotter is grading the land recently purchased by Mr. Lord on Waban avenue.

—Mr. J. S. Blotchford has closed his summer home here and moved to his winter home in Boston.

—Unclaimed letters in the postoffice: Mrs. S. T. Crowell, Hilda Harper, B. S. Young, Mrs. C. H. McCann.

—A. H. Warren, Waban school, plays quarter-back on the N. A. A. football team against Brown University, next Saturday.

—Mr. C. M. Culver is on a two weeks' hunting trip in the western part of the state. He is an old hunter and doubtless will bag some pretty good game.

REAL ESTATE.

At commissioner's sale, Leon C. Carter purchased the property of Mary T. Lang on Cabot street, Newtonville, for \$2900. It comprises 10,265 square feet of land, with old buildings. The buyer is to extend Park place through this land to Cabot street, making a street from the latter to Washington park, and will build two houses on Cabot street.

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Messrs. Bothfeld and Davis Withdraw in Favor of Mayor Cobb.

Ex-Mayor Bothfeld's Letter.

Hon. Henry E. Cobb,
Dear Sir:—I think you understand what my position has been in regard to the mayoralty. When I assented to the consideration of my name in that connection I imposed certain conditions. It is now apparent that these conditions do not exist, and that any contest must be wholly personal. To that sort of politics I am utterly opposed. While I am ready to stand with a corporal's guard for a principle, or against wrong methods or bad men, I cannot see any public good to be gained by a continued use of my name at the present time. I, therefore, am glad to assure you that I am not a candidate for the nomination.

With the expectation and hope that you will have the distinguished honor of serving as the first mayor under the new charter, I am, sincerely yours,

H. E. BOTHFELD.

Councilman Davis' Letter.

Hon. H. E. Cobb: Dear Sir:—Sometime during the early part of last summer when, as you remember, you were not contemplating a renomination, a considerable number of our prominent citizens, residents of several wards, requested me to become a candidate for the mayoralty. They were kind enough

to express to me their belief that I possessed the qualifications and experiences that were required in a mayor, and they further recognized and admitted that, other things being equal, Ward 3 was entitled to name the candidate this year, inasmuch as no citizen of that ward had ever been mayor of the city, while every other ward had been represented in that office by from one to three gentlemen.

I appreciate fully the kindly feeling expressed toward myself, and I felt that the consideration shown toward Ward 3 was justified. Recognizing that to be the mayor of Newton is an honor to which any man might aspire, I consented to have my name presented for the suffrages of my townsmen.

In the course of events your friends urged renomination; you assented to their request and the issue was before the people. From today's point of view I believe there can be no doubt that it is the wish of a majority of our citizens that you should continue as the executive of this city for another year. Recognizing it will materially strengthen your position to know that, instead of a faction, you represent the entire body of voters, I take great pleasure in saying to you that I have asked my friends not only not to further urge my candidacy, but to do their utmost to promote yours. (Signed) GEO. D. DAVIS.

A STRONG ENDORSEMENT FOR MAYOR COBB.

The Signatures to the Petitions Asking Him to Accept a Third Term as Mayor of Newton.

Hon. HENRY E. COBB, Newton, Mass.

DEAR SIR:—We the undersigned, citizens of Newton, are desirous that you should permit your name to be used as a candidate for re-election as Mayor of Newton at the coming municipal election.

In view of the probability that the new charter is likely to be adopted at the next annual State election, to go into effect at the commencement of the new year, we consider it of the greatest importance that our next mayor should be a man thoroughly trained in the administration of municipal affairs, and so fully conversant with existing conditions as to be able to exercise his increased authority under the provisions of the new charter to the advantage of our city and its people.

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SINGLE TAX.

MR. GEORGE FRANK STEPHENS OF PHILADELPHIA ADDRESSES THE NEWTON SINGLE TAX CLASS AND CLUB—LUCID EXPOSITION OF THE SINGLE TAX THEORY, FOLLOWED BY QUESTIONS.

The Newton Single Tax Class and Club held its fifth meeting of this season, last Monday evening, in the vestry of the Methodist church at Newtonville, and the occasion proved to be a most interesting and enjoyable one. Mr. Geo. Frank Stephens of Philadelphia was the speaker of the evening and his exposition of the Single Tax, which was delivered in a clear and concise manner, was one which carried conviction to the minds of his hearers. He spoke for thirty minutes and the meeting was then thrown open for questions. They came fast and furious up to the time when Mr. Stephens was obliged to leave to catch the 10.13 train for Boston. He answered all the questions put to him promptly and in most cases satisfactorily, and showed himself to be a thorough student of the Single Tax and familiar with it in all its bearings. The attendance was unusually large and expressions of satisfaction and appreciation were heard on every side as the meeting broke up.

Mr. Stephens said in part: The problem which Henry George has attempted to deal with is: that with advancing civilization there has been advancing poverty. He has endeavored to refute two of the current theories of the cause of the evils. One is that labor is paid out of the capital and as times grow better the families of the laborers increase so that capital is divided among a greater number of people and each gets less. Henry George says that the laborer is not paid out of any fund in the community, but out of what he himself produces, and the cause of poverty is rather, not that there is not enough capital in the community, but because it is wrongly distributed. The other alleged cause of poverty is that in spite of advancing civilization and learning, the earth will not in the nature of things bring forth sustenance for men as quickly as they multiply, and that the only way that the number of men can be kept within reasonable limits is by poverty, crime and war, this being known as the Malthusian theory. This latter reasoning crops up in nearly every argument against the Single Tax.

The trouble with our society is not in the making of the wealth, but in the distribution of it after it is made. If you take a pile of the produce of an industry and each man were to deposit there every night the result of his day's labor, in the distribution of that wealth if he took out just what he needed, or its equivalent, you would say that that was fair. But if some one was taking out something every day and adding nothing to the pile, it is evident that when night comes someone is going to be short. The process which makes poverty is the increase of progress is of that nature. Now we say that the pile of wealth is reduced in such a way that it robs the wages of all men. To the skillful worker there is enough left to keep him alive after he has been robbed. To the unskillful laborer there is only enough left to keep him alive and on working and bringing up a family to work after him.

Wealth is distributed in three channels: one part of what is produced goes to the laborer, another goes to those who have already worked and who have the product of their labor in the form of machinery, tools, etc., capital, which is entitled to its return. Besides all that there is taken from the pile an amount for which absolutely no equivalent is given. The money is used for making wealth by taking men and holding them as chattel slaves. The very much easier and simpler way is not to own the slaves, but to own land on which the slave must work. The purpose is the same in both cases, that of obtaining the result of the labor from the slave without giving him anything in exchange in the first instance, and land holding by the owner is not used in order to obtain something for which they give no equivalent in the latter case.

We object to that and say that it is akin to the slaveholding system. Yet the private ownership of the earth is as foolish as to allow private ownership of the air, water or sunlight, and that the effect must be the same in either case. God made the earth for all his children alike. If you deny a man's right to use the earth you deny his right to live. The Single Tax would not say that the earth shall be cut up into as many squares as there are people. It does not say that every time a child is born, any more than you would divide a railroad among its stockholders by giving so many rails and cars to each one. It is entirely different to hold that the earth is really a common heritage of all by asking of all people the rental value of the earth, that for which the bare land will rent for in the market. The Single Tax proposition is that we shall take the rental value every year as a tax. No matter what was paid for the land, its title is good only subject to a tax which equals the value of that land, and that the tax is distributed on the ground rent and the proceeds go to pay the common expenses of the community. The whole Single Tax proposition is, that levying no tax upon what men make we should take the rental value of the land as the one source of all revenue, not only for the state, but for the nation and the smallest community as well.

In answer to the objection that the Single Tax would virtually confiscate the lands of present holders, which would be a great injustice, Mr. Stephens said: If the land belongs to the landholders, let them keep it. If it does not, then they should let go of it at once and without any compensation whatever. It is the same as any other case of property which is held without a title, and when it is once conceded that the land belongs to all you have got to make your statute law conform to your moral law. The same argument was used in regard to compensating the slaveholders. The people tempt to get back the land from the people who hold it you have got to consider that the fund to buy the land must be taken from those very people.

Question: I understand you to say that the landholder will be benefited by the Single Tax: how is that to happen? Answer: Suppose I buy a pair of boots for \$5 today and for some unexpected cause the price of the same pair of boots falls to \$3, tomorrow. Have I suffered? As far as the boots are concerned, I can get the same service. If I want another pair I can get them for less. I have no need to sell all unless my intention is to sell that pair of boots, and in that case I am going to lose on them. Apply that to the landholder. The landholder has purchased the land, and the Single Tax comes in. That means that as far as the use of his land is concerned he gets as much out of it as he did before. If the tax is the rent of the land then he will never have to pay as tax any more than he would have to pay for what the market says it is worth. He gains by the exemption of his improvements. If he wants any more land for use he will get it for a lower price. But if he bought his land for the purpose of selling again and making money on it, then he is caught and I have no tears to shed for him. Here is a system which proposes to take the tax off the improvements and put it on the value of the land. The man who has improved his land is not injured because the tax on his land is not more than that taken off his improvements. The people whom the Single Tax appears to be the most disastrous are those who have large tracts of unimproved land, and in almost every case those are wealthy people.

Q. What would become of the mortgages upon unimproved property if the single

tax goes into effect? Would it not cancel the value of the mortgage?

A. I take a mortgage to be a security for a loan which is just as much owing after the single tax goes into effect as before.

Q. Then I would lose the money that was owing on the mortgage? Legally I would lose it?

A. That would depend on the morals of the man who made it.

Q. The average man would not pay a debt the law did not compel him to?

A. I do not believe that. Under present conditions he would not, but given the right conditions and a man would pay his honest debts.

Q. Would not the Single Tax wreck a Savings bank, which had its funds wholly or largely invested in unimproved real estate?

A. Yes, if the Savings bank had its funds invested in unimproved land, and if it had its funds invested in unimproved land it ought to be wrecked. Your security is gone and you would have to look to the honesty of the man to whom you made the loan to get it back. We are going to bring about conditions in which men can afford to be honest.

Q. Isn't it stated of the Single Tax that it cannot be shifted from the landlord to his tenant?

A. If the Single Tax could be shifted, then the Single Tax would be gone, and all economists agree that it could not be shifted. The selling value of the land is determined by the rent of the land. A man by working on a piece of land which costs him nothing can earn \$1 a day. On certain other land, on account of its nearness to other people, he can by working no harder earn \$3 a day. The difference between \$3 and \$1 is the rent of that land. Any tax which is put on he cannot add to the rent because the tax does not increase the productivity of the land. The landlord is already exacting everything that the land will warrant and he must stand the tax.

In answer to the question which was asked at the last meeting as to what the effect of the Single Tax would be upon poverty produced by intemperance and crime, he said that it appeared to him that much of the drink habit comes from the pressure of poverty or excessive riches, and if we could do away with those conditions we would be doing away with the heart of the liquor evil. There is very little drunkenness or crime among the healthy middle classes.

In answer to the other question which was brought over as to whether or not the people of the congested districts would avail themselves of agricultural opportunities if offered, many of them seemed to prefer the slums, he said. Those people that flock into the slums, flock there because after all is said and done it is a little easier to make a living where rents are highest. I have seen the lowest depths of poverty in Philadelphia and New York, but I have seen lower poverty in the isolated districts of Delaware and Pennsylvania. If I had my choice I would live in the slums rather than in those isolated districts. Those people in the slums are anxious to get out into the sunlight. It is only because for something better which is in the heart of everybody. If they were given the opportunity to get away from their surroundings those that would stay would be none at all. The only reason why the slums today are enforced conditions.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held on Monday, Nov. 26th. Place to be announced later. On Monday evening, Nov. 26th, the club will attend in a body an address on the Single Tax to be given by Wm. Lloyd Garrison at the Universalist church on Washington park, Newtonville.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

TREMONT THEATRE.—The welcome announcement of the re-appearance of Mr. E. J. Willard, next Monday at the Tremont Theatre the cleverest and most popular Actor that England sends us, will be hailed with pleasure by his many admirers in Boston and its suburbs. His five weeks' play, "The Physician," which will open on Monday next with Henry Arthur Jones' new play, "The Physician," will prove a welcome dramatic and artistic treat. As his supporters of this season embrace four plays he has never presented here, besides all his well-liked old successes, "The Physician," is a play well constructed, interesting in plot and full of dialogue. It is a play which is always a character of the plays of Mr. Jones. Mr. Willard appears as Doctor Lewis Carey, a London Physician, and the cast of the play embraces many well-known names of the theatre. Favorably remembered here, Special and appropriate scenery by Homer Emmons of New York, and that completeness of detail which is always a feature of Mr. Willard's performances, will make the first Boston production of this play unusually attractive. For the benefit of the ladies it may be stated that Miss Keith Wakeman wears some elegant gowns as Lady Valerie Carlisle, and Miss Maude Hoffman, his leading lady, is one of the prettiest leading women now before the public. "The Physician," (which in its interesting plot, brilliant dialogue and clever dramatic incidents, will make it especially attractive to the cultured audiences of Boston) can only be played a limited number of performances, as Mr. Willard has other attractive novelties to submit to his many admirers. It is respectfully suggested that intending patrons during Mr. Willard's engagement, will find it convenient to be seated by the time advertised for rising of the curtain. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday of next week of "The Physician." Seats now on sale.

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Under the direction of Mayor Cobb the work of remodeling city hall will be begun at once, and all the changes will probably be completed by Jan. 1, when the new charter goes into force.

The entire upper portion of the building will be remodelled to make room for the new city council and to provide increased accommodations for the city departments.

The large hall in the third story will be cut up, and the larger portion will be utilized as a meeting hall for the new one-board city council of 21 members, the present council and aldermanic chambers on the second floor being altogether too small to accommodate the larger board.

The meeting hall will be furnished with ante-rooms, and will be connected with large committee rooms. The second floor will also be completely changed. Part of the aldermanic chamber will be turned into an ante-room for the mayor's office, and the balance of the room now occupied by the council and aldermanic chambers will be used to provide increased accommodations for the assessors' and auditors' departments.

It is estimated that these changes will cost about \$5000, and the appropriation is now available. In connection with these changes it is proposed as soon as the old Pierce building is abandoned by the school department to utilize this building for a police headquarters and municipal court. The estimated cost of this change is \$15,000.

The police department would then vacate its present quarters on the ground floor of the city hall, and the rooms now occupied by the police and the court and officers would be utilized by the engineering, street and sewer departments. This change is expected to entirely relieve the pressure on city hall, and will greatly facilitate the work of the police department.

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WANT HEAD-MASTER.

NONANTUM RESIDENTS FEEL THAT THE CONDITIONS OF THE ELIOT SCHOOL DEMAND IT—THE WARD ONE SCHOOL COMMITTEE GIVE THE MATTER A HEARING.

Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. Reuben Forknall on California street, the Ward 1 committee of the school board heard the residents of Nonantum on their petition for the appointment of a head master at the Eliot school on Pearl street. Several interested gentlemen were present and the matter was thoroughly discussed by the petitioners and the board members, Messrs. Howes, Brackett and Coffin.

Shortly before 8 o'clock Mr. Forknall announced the purpose of the meeting and stated the situation to the board members. He said in part: "There has been no master at the Eliot school since the parochial school was established some time ago. It has been thought best by the school committee at that time to do away with a master here as so many scholars left for the parochial school. The citizens offered no objection. Since then conditions have changed somewhat. The number of pupils had greatly increased by children growing up, and by others coming back from the parochial school. The conditions at present are quite different from the time when a master was employed at the Eliot."

"When the old Adams school was burned and the scholars compelled to go to the Eliot, the sessions at the latter school were conveniently arranged so that the Newtonville pupils should have to attend but one session. This was done at the discomfiture of the Nonantum pupils. Now our children are made to attend the sessions at the Adams school twice a day."

"There are fourteen scholars in the 9th class at the Eliot school, and sixteen in the 9th class at the Adams. If it is necessary, two masters at Newtonville, but let us have one here. We pay our proportion of taxes in this place, and have our corresponding rights. Therefore we do not ask as a favor but demand as a right, that you appoint a master at the Eliot school."

"It has been said that the children of Nonantum do not have the same advantages at home and the same home training. This we will concede for argument only. Surely this lack of home training is just the reason that the school advantages should be greater."

"At present the 8th class scholars who study Latin are obliged to go to the Adams school after the dinner hour, and receive their lesson with the scholars of the Adams school. They are three weeks behind in their studies, they say, partly because of this disadvantage."

"They are told by their teachers that their brothers and sisters at home must assist them in making up what they have lost. We demand redress, and ask that the Eliot school be given the same privileges as any other school in the city of Newton."

Mr. Hiram Foss told of the difficulties that Nonantum scholars were obliged to encounter to reach the Adams school. They were given, he said, 10 "stormy day" tickets for use on the electric, which they were expected to use a month. He thought the 8th class should have a Latin teacher at the Eliot school as well as at the Adams.

Mr. William Lowry said the scholars in walking from the Adams to the Eliot school certainly lost half a day, and as had been said, lost their lessons at the Eliot school, which they were therefore compelled to make up as best they could. This placed them at a great disadvantage and they lost a half a day or a week or two hours and a half. The condition of things would not be tolerated, he said, by Newtonville residents, and should not be imposed on Nonantum people. The Latin teacher might teach Eliot school scholars for one-half the school year and the Adams for the other half. The disadvantages would be then divided.

At this point the discussion became quite informal, and several points of interest were brought out on both sides. It was shown that two scholars were not allowed to attend the Adams school because their parents feared it was too far away. Also that the cost of a master at the Eliot school would be about \$750, after the changes in the number of teachers had been made.

One resident told how his children were at the Adams school Tuesday, and shortly after their arrival were sent home on account of the wet condition of their outer garments. When they returned in the afternoon they were obliged to bring a note explaining their absence in the morning. This was the cause of considerable laughter.

Mr. Howes of the school committee said a petition of Lower Falls residents had been refused on financial grounds. The matter had also to be considered as establishing a precedent. Certainly demands would be coming shortly from other districts, and this was an important question.

Mr. Brackett said the disposition of the committee was to grant the petition, but the financial part of the question had to be fully considered.

There were other speakers, including Mr. Thomas Kybert, Mr. Alfred Pepler, Mr. Hanson, Mr. Flaherty, Mr. Reagan and Mrs. Lowry. A petition signed by the parents of about every scholar in the school was presented by Mr. Forknall.

The committee took the matter under advisement, and the meeting adjourned about 9.30 o'clock.

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A STRONG ENDORSEMENT.

The first page of this issue is largely devoted to the list of names signed to the petitions asking Mayor Cobb to accept another term. As Mayor Cobb was the second choice of the Bothfield men, and of many of the Davis men, their withdrawal leaves a clear field, and there will be no contest.

The endorsement of such men as have signed the petitions is one that any official might well be proud of, as many of them are former city officials, mayors, aldermen and councilmen, and so have followed Mayor Cobb's career more critically than the average citizen.

The adoption of the new charter makes the office of mayor one of great responsibility, as it makes the mayor the real head of the city government, instead of merely the nominal one, as was the case under the old charter. There are a large number of appointments to be made by the mayor, all the heads of the new departments will have to be selected by him, and all the executive work of the city will be directly under his supervision, so that the next mayor will have his hands full of work, and will have many perplexing questions to decide at the very outset.

Only a man of experience in city affairs could be considered competent, next year, and Mayor Cobb's two years in office gives him a great advantage, as he is familiar with all the questions to come up, and also knows by actual experience something of the qualifications of the men he will have to appoint as the heads of the various departments. Even those who were most earnestly in favor of Mr. Bothfield concede Mayor Cobb's many qualifications, and have regarded him as the next best man available for the position, while of course the original Cobb men will not admit that he has any superiority.

The contest that was promised has now all disappeared, and it will be a very unanimous campaign, as far as the mayor is concerned. This, alone, is a very solid endorsement of an official, as it shows that his course in office has been generally satisfactory to the people.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Now that the question of a mayor under the new charter seems to be settled, the make-up of the new board of aldermen is exciting popular attention. To start the new charter successfully, a great deal depends upon the aldermen, and it would be an excellent thing to have as many as possible of the charter committee in the new board. They are of course interested in their work, and as the duties of the aldermen will not be as arduous as under the present charter, it is thought that perhaps some of them may be induced to accept.

Among the names mentioned are those of ex-Mayor Bothfield, Mr. John T. Langford, ex-Alderman Chadwick of Ward Two, and ex-Alderman Fiske of Ward Four, and possibly some of these could be induced to accept. There has been a great effort on the part of Mayor Cobb's friends, to induce ex-Mayor Bothfield to run, but he could hardly be expected to consent.

Mr. John T. Langford of Ward One was one of the most active members of the revision committee, and would be a tower of strength in the new board, and possibly he could be induced to accept; he is being labored with by representative men from all parts of the city. Messrs. Chadwick and Fiske have also been approached, and if these three members of the charter revision committee should become members of the new board it would start off under very encouraging auspices.

Of the other members of the new board, it is probable that many members of the present city council will be returned. Few changes are expected in Wards Five and Six, or in Ward Three.

In Ward Seven an effort is being made to have ex-Mayor Ellison consent to be a candidate. Mr. W. H. Thurber of Centre street is also spoken of, as he is a large taxpayer, and has seen experience in municipal government, having been mayor of Somerville. Messrs. Hobart, Dana and Niles also have warm supporters, and the ticket will be made up probably from these men.

In Ward One, Mr. John T. Langford and Mr. Lewis E. Coffin are the leading candidates so far, and the third member has not been settled upon, and may be selected from the present members of the city council.

In Ward Two, Mr. Chadwick leads in popular favor, and could have the nomination if he would accept. Councilman Nagle has refused to run again, which is regretted, as he has been a valuable member. Alderman Roberts and Councilman

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In Ward Four the situation is still in an unsettled state, with the chances rather in favor of the return of the present members.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

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The Hospital has been filled a large portion of the past year, and the need of greater accommodations has been so great that generous friends have pledged the funds necessary for a new building, with several additional wards.

Those who are at all skeptical of the usefulness of the Hospital should make a visit to that institution, and see the large number of sick people who are being cared for, with all the skill that medical science can furnish. Their doubts would vanish at once, and their contributions would only be limited by the contents of their pocket-books.

It has been a hard year for many cases of illness among the poor have been numerous, and the prospects for better times do not seem very encouraging, so that the Hospital will need for the coming year more liberal contributions than usual, if it is to care for all those who need its ministrations. It is an institution that Newton is especially proud of, and its appeals always meet with a generous response.

Time movement to interest all unregistered citizens to become voters deserves encouragement, no matter what political party it might benefit. There are some 10,000 assessed polls in Newton and only 57 names on the voting list. This is a remarkable state of things, and would seem to indicate that a large minority of men in Newton do not care for the franchise. Some say that a large part of these non-voters have not been naturalized, and the expense deters them from taking out papers, as the cost is about five dollars. The men interested in forming a Democratic club hope that they can meet this objection by a small assessment on the members, or by circulating a subscription paper. An increase in the Democratic vote would certainly make political contests in Newton more interesting, as now the only contest is over the nominations, which are equivalent to an election. The Democrats in Newton are no better agreed than Democrats elsewhere, as the meeting on Monday night was no sooner organized than a contest arose between the regulars and the free-silver faction, which threatened to disrupt the movement before it was even begun. With the parties about evenly divided, each one has to be careful in making nominations, as the one that puts up the best man will win, and a strong opposition is always conducive to good government.

The great event of the year, which dwarfs all such petty concerns as elections and politics, is scheduled for tomorrow, in the Harvard-Yale Football game, and the demand for tickets before the snow storm of this morning had sent the price of seats up to ten dollars. The weather bureau has been influenced to predict clearing weather for this afternoon, and a fair day to-morrow, but if the predictions do not come true, it will be a great blow to President McKinley's administration.

WEST NEWTON people gave ten thousands and dollars toward the building of City Hall, for the purpose of having a public hall in that ward. They are now trying to figure out whether they have received full value for their money, now that the main hall is to be remodelled for a meeting place for the new board of aldermen.

It is to be hoped that no more money will be used in altering over the old City Hall, or fixing up the old Pierce school building for a court house, than is absolutely necessary. In five or six years the city can afford to build a new city hall, so that all the money expended on the old buildings will be thrown away.

SENATOR HANNA has more important work before him than that of attending dinners, and so the House Market club could not produce one of its advertised attractions.

AUBURDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.
—Chance for boys to make money. See adv., 8th page.

—Mrs. Cowdrey of Melrose street is improving in health.

—Mr. J. O. Pike, who has been spending the past week with his brother, O. A. Pike, of Ash street, has returned to his home at Caribou, Me.

—Three lectures on Mexico will be given at Lasell Seminary, Nov. 15, 16 and 17, at 7.30 p. m., on Mexico, by Prof. L. T. Towne, D. D. formerly of Boston University.

—The Auburndale Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Missions will hold its November meeting in the chapel of the Congregational church on Wednesday, the 17th, at 3 o'clock p. m. Program: Topic, Japan. Current events in Mission Lands. Among our Missions in Japan: a Peep at

Tokio; In Kebe College; With the Okayama Orphans; Kioto, the Templed City.

—Mrs. John Frost still continues ill at her home in Arlington.

—Walter H. Claxton of Norwich, Conn., is visiting relatives on Auburn street.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Miss Gertrude Drake and Mr. C. K. Campbell.

—Arthur Dean Clark of Williamsport, Penn., is the guest of friends at Riverside.

—Mr. A. J. Russell and family, formerly of Melrose street, have removed to So. Framingham.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clapp attended the funeral of Mrs. Clapp's uncle at Rosindale, Monday.

—Miss Gertrude Jewett of Grove street returned home this week after a two years' absence at college.

—The Auburndale Review Club will meet at Mrs. Ober's, 42 Central street, Auburndale, on Tuesday, Nov. 16.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Young of Ashburnham are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dodge of Owatonna street.

—Mrs. Stephen Bailey of Telluride, Col., is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Charles E. Parker, of Hancock street.

—Mr. Frank D. Morgan, of the musical sketch team of Moran & Trauschnke, was in town this week the guest of Mr. W. P. Thorne.

—The annual meeting and supper of the Congregational church will be held next Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the chapel of the church.

—Mrs. Van Wagenen of Woodland road, who recently returned from a trip through Canada, is reported seriously ill with an attack of diphtheria.

—Rev. C. P. Allen and family, who have been occupying the Kendall house on Hancock street during the summer, have returned to Boston this week.

—Mrs. Benjamin W. Hackett, Regent of the Newton Chapter, D. A. R., has been entertaining Mrs. T. W. Brown of Springfield, the State Regent, this week.

—The smoke from fires of leaves is proving a nuisance, and considerable complaint has been heard. Several fires this week came near resulting seriously.

—Several delegates from the local lodge of the A. O. U. W. in this place were present at the exercises of Gen. Hull lodge in Newtonville, Wednesday evening.

—The next regular meeting of Auburndale Lodge, N. E. D. will be held next Monday evening in the rooms of the Auburndale school. Considerable important business is to be transacted, including the admission of three new members.

—The high wind of Tuesday night is said to be responsible for the accident to a cart on the corner of the city, which were blown down and otherwise damaged. Many trees and considerable shrubbery throughout the village also suffered.

—H. H. Tilton reported to the police, Thursday, that some day this week his store near Forest Grove Park, near Norumbega, was entered and a quantity of small ware stolen. An unsuccessful attempt to enter the same place was made about two weeks ago.

—At the New England Peabody Home for Crippled Children, at Weston, during the past year, 30 children have been treated. It costs about \$175 each for the children a year, and the funds of the society are low. It is hoped to greatly replenish them by the annual Christmas sale for the support of the home, which will be held at the Hotel Thorndike, Boston, Dec. 2 and 3. Many preparations are being made to make the sale a great success. The affair is in charge of a large number of prominent Boston society ladies.

—The need of a proper hall for public use is greatly felt in this place, and is certainly a good matter for the improvement society's consideration. Since the changes have been made in Auburn hall building, there is practically no place to hold a public entertainment or meeting of any size. Lodge meetings, caucuses and the like can be accommodated in Auburn hall, but the majority of citizens are not satisfied with this. They are anxious that a new block be built with stores and hall, and are quite confident it would prove a profitable real estate venture.

MARRIED.

PRIEST-WOODWARD—At Newtonville, Nov. 2, by Rev. W. B. Eddy, Everett Greaton Priest and Clara Gladys Woodward.

FLANAGAN-SCANLON—At Newton, Nov. 7, by Rev. J. F. Gillette, Thomas Flanagan and Mary A. Scanlon.

LITTLE-FEWKES—At Newton, Nov. 6, by Rev. F. B. Hornbrook, Richard Herbert Little and Nellie Matilda Fewkes.

CROCKETT-DICKINSON—At Boston, Oct. 23, by Rev. John Brainerd Wilson, Wm. Henry Crockett and Lenora Adelaide Dickinson, both of Newton.

MCADAMS-KNEELAND—At Newton Centre, Nov. 3, by Rev. D. J. Wholey, Edmund McAdams and Jennie H. Kneeland.

VANDITTI-SOUR—At Boston, Nov. 8, by Rev. James Gambara, Gregor Vanditti and Marie Sour, both of Newton.

WILLOUGHBY-MONROE—At Newton, Nov. 9, by Rev. W. H. Davis, Mr. Alfred Willoughby and Mrs. Sarah C. Monroe.

LAFLUR-CHARLTON—At Newton Upper Falls, Nov. 10, by F. J. McConnell, Joseph Laflur and Malvina Charlton.

DIED.

HAYDEN—In Newtonville, Nov. 9th, Helen Josephine, 11 months and 23 days, daughter of Alice L. and S. D. Hayden.

BYRON—At Newton, Nov. 4, Michael Byron, 53 yrs.

MARTIN—At West Newton, Nov. 5, Norah Agnes, wife of James F. Martin, 26 yrs. 5 mos.

ROBINSON—At Newton, Nov. 7, William Robinson, 53 yrs.

COTTER—At Newton Centre, Nov. 8, Mary C. Cotter, 36 yrs. 4 mos. 1 day.

ROUSE—At Hospital, Nov. 10, Lizzie, daughter of William and Mary Rouse, 3 yrs. 1 mo. 18 days.

MURPHY—At West Newton, Nov. 10, Thomas Murphy, 73 yrs. 10 mos. 19 days.

FERGUSON—At Lexington, Nov. 10, Eben Rhoades Ferguson, 36 yrs. 8 mos. 23 days, formerly of Newton Centre.

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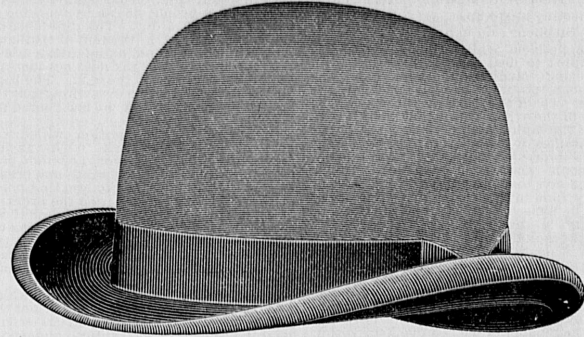
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TO LET—7 room house, bath, hot and cold water, furnace, and nicely decorated, \$17 monthly; 9-room house, Tremont St. near Park, furnace, bath, gas fixtures, slides, range, set tubs, finely decorated, for \$35 month. Owner, F. W. McAleer, 145 Pearl St., Newton. 1-11

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mr. Toke has moved into his new shop this week.

—Chance for boys to make money. See adv., 8th page.

—Mr. Edward Rumery is seriously ill at his home on Clyde street.

—Mr. Dustin Laney is moving into his new home on Lowell street.

—Mr. H. D. Kingsbury has purchased the McAdoo estate on Otis street.

—Mr. H. E. Dunnean is recovering from his bicycle accident of last Sunday.

—Mr. Silas Berry has removed to Taunton to engage in the study of architecture.

—A steam roller and a gang of men have been busy this week improving Madison avenue.

—Mrs. E. Washburn, formerly of Boston, has leased one of the Griffin flats on Highland avenue.

—Mrs. Wm. S. Twombly of Greenfield, Me., has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Patterson.

—The Hall house on Washington park was leased this week to Mr. Butler of Linwood avenue.

—The many friends of Mr. Andrew Wellington are pleased to see him about again after a severe illness.

—Mrs. Coles of Battle Creek, Mich., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Austin R. Mitchell, Walnut street.

—Mrs. F. P. Barnes of Otis street reported at police headquarters Saturday evening that a quantity of clothing had been stolen from her clothesline.

—The fair recently held at the Congregationalist church was very successful from a financial point of view, netting over one thousand dollars to the funds of the society.

—Prof. C. W. Rishell of Boston University will address the Christian Endeavor Union at its meeting in the Congregationalist church on Sunday evening next, Nov. 14.

—There are letters in the post office for Mrs. E. W. Corey, Miss Nellie Curtis, John F. Frazier, Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, J. Harper, Geo. M. Laraway and Miss E. G. O'Brien.

—Hon. Henry B. Metcalf of Pawtucket will speak at the vesper service at the Washington Park church next Sunday at 4.45 o'clock. Subject "The Business Man and the Gospel." Mr. Metcalf is a forceful speaker.

—General Hull Lodge, A. O. U. W., will have a "ladies' night" this (Friday) evening in Dennison hall. Whist will be the attraction of the evening and four handsome prizes will be worked for. A collation will be served.

—The regular meeting of Mt. Ida Council Royal Arcanum was held Monday evening. Prof. J. B. Taylor gave several enjoyable readings from well known authors. At the next meeting the entertainment will be furnished by Mr. Abbott Bassett.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Heath are giving tonight a reception to Mr. and Mrs. Enoch C. Adams of 22 Lenox street, West Newton. Mr. Adams is the new headmaster of the High school. The high school teachers and all the teachers in Ward II are among the invited guests.

—Evening service of St. John's church will be held at Temple hall, Sunday, at 3 p. m., Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, rector of Trinity church, Newton Centre, will officiate. Master Winthrop E. Ferguson, soprano soloist of the Church of the Advent, Boston, has kindly offered to sing. St. John's church has extended a call to Rev. Abell Millard of Peabody, and he has accepted and will enter upon his duties Dec. 1st.

—Some of the members of the Newton Associated Church attended the annual meeting of the Boston society, in Huntington hall, Institute of Technology, Thursday afternoon, to hear the addresses of Hon. Charles J. Bonaparte and Mr. Jeffrey R. Brackett of Baltimore. The only meetings this month of the Newton society will be one for directors at four o'clock, Thursday afternoon, Nov. 18th, Mary R. Martin, secretary.

—At the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening at 7.30, the pastor, Rev. Franklin Hamilton, will conduct the service on "A Far Country," which are proving of so much interest to such large congregations. The topic of the address will be "With Knapsack and Walkingstick along the River Rhine" and will be personal reminiscences of wanderings on foot through the famous Rhine country with its ancient castles and cathedrals. All seats are free and all are invited. Special music will solo.

—The great fair of the parish of the Washington Park church will be held next week Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the church parlors. Supper will be served from 6 to 8 each day. There will be a large supply of fancy and useful articles. An orange tree, an exhibition of parish pictures, homemade candies, a men's table, a Sunday school department, an art corner, a mystery box, etc., will provide entertainment and the opportunity to spend one's money. Music each evening. Fair open from 2 to 11 p. m.

—The annual meeting of the Newtonville Cycle Club was held in Dennison hall Wednesday evening. The following officers were elected: President, H. E. Sisson; vice-president, Franklin Baehor; Secretary and treasurer, A. E. Vose; Capt. F. H. Doane; Lieut., E. H. Kenney. It was proposed to hold a meeting of the executive board in March to make arrangements for the first spring meeting in April. It is intended to make the club a league club at that time and it is hoped that the membership may be enlarged sufficiently to have a club room.

—H. E. Dunnean of Foster street was seriously injured in a bicycle accident Sunday morning. He was riding near the corner of Crafts street and Chesapeake brook boulevard, when he lost control of his wheel and ran across the sidewalk and into the fence. He was thrown and struck heavily on his head. His wheel was demolished. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to his home, where it was found that his injuries consisted of several bad cuts on the head and face and a bad nervous shock.

—Last Saturday afternoon on the Magdalen grounds the Adams school football team was defeated by the Bigelow of Newton. The score:

ADAMS.	BIGELOW.
Paul, 1 e.	Wheeler
Putnam, 1 e.	Wheeler
Smith, 1 g.	Wheeler
Nagle, 1 e.	Harrington
Macomber, 1 g.	Wheeler
Cook, 1 r.	Wheeler
Hurley, 1 e.	Wheeler
Brown, 1 e.	Wheeler
Hobbs, 1 e.	Wheeler
Wetherell, 1 e.	Wheeler
Gordon, 1 e.	Wheeler

score, Bigelow 4, Adams 0; touchdowns: Lemon; umpire, Spellman; referee, Johnson; linesmen, Smith, Ivy; time, 20 min. halves.

—Newton encampment, A. I. O. K. M., was organized Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by Grand Commander J. W. Hicks and staff. The following officers were installed: A. H. Putney, commander; George A. Hewitt, generalissimo; Gordon McMillen, captain general; Oliver J. Hall, prelate; H. B. Trufant, recorder; Fred W. Morton, treasurer; B. G. Stronach, senior warden; Charles W. Fiske, junior warden; Fred W. Esty, standard bearer; Edward Peterson, sword bearer; Henry E. Billings, warder; Joseph Farley, sentinel; W. B. Saunders and D. W. Bond, guards; W. S. Hitz, past commander; O. J. Hall,

George L. West and B. F. Bigelow, trustees.

—Have your photo on a button at the Jap store.

—Mr. S. H. Hobson is bass soloist in the new Grace church choir.

—Don't have cold hands when you can get a hand stove at the Jap store.

—Tuesday evening A. E. Cunningham tent 2, D. V., held its first party of the season at Dennison's Hall. There were twelve tables.

—James S. Carter of Boston, who was injured in a bicycle accident at the corner of Walnut street and the boulevard, was Wednesday discharged from the Newt in Hospital and is now rapidly convalescing.

—Newtonville can boast of a typical Japanese store which in artistic design and arrangement almost equals an original Tokio store. In variety of small wares and curios it is certainly a rival of Dicken's ideal Curiosity Shop, though, unlike the latter its wares are up-to-date. Such a collection of novelties is difficult to describe, and certainly can be best appreciated with a half-hour's inspection. The new store will be opened for the first time at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening, in the new Masonic building, and the people of Newton are cordially invited to be present. Mrs. George W. Brown will be in charge. The goods on sale comprise some of the most interesting products of Japanese artists, including beautifully tinted photographs of Fujiyama, the sacred mountain, Japanese girls at work, 1700 babies' faces, and other native scenes. There is also a variety of china cups, saucers, plates and pitchers, and a hundred other fancy and useful articles. Together with these are Japanese lanterns, umbrellas, straw mats and other novelties. The goods on sale will be at prices even lower than Boston. It is the object of the proprietors of the new store to make their prices little above cost, that these very desirable articles may be within the reach of all.

WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Chance for boys to make money. See adv., 8th page.

—Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing, Mason's, 300 Centre street, Eliot block.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hanson of St. Louis are the guest of friends here for a few weeks.

—Knowlton and Allen's orchestra will furnish the music at the Firemen's ball next Friday evening.

—The Daughters of Veterans enjoyed whist at the close of the business meeting Tuesday evening.

—The Congregational Sunday school will have a harvest concert the Sunday preceding Thanksgiving.

—The regular meeting of the Woman's Alliance will be held Thursday in the Unitarian church parlors.

—A union prayer meeting was held in the Baptist vestry Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

—Sergt. Charles Heustis returned Saturday from his farm at Wellfleet, and has again assumed charge of police headquarters.

—The Newton Ladies' Home Circle will hold its next meeting in the Unitarian church parlor, Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 2 p. m.

—Mrs. Dalton entertained a whist club Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Chestnut street. About twenty ladies were present.

—The first fall social of the Baptist society was held last evening. Supper was served at 6.30, and the evening passed in a most enjoyable manner.

—The Newton Veteran Firemen's Association will hold a special meeting Tuesday evening to make the final arrangements for the grand ball next Friday night.

—The sociable season at the Congregational church opened last evening with a large gathering. An enjoyable entertainment was presented, and a light collation served.

—The current events class will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. N. L. Walton, Chestnut street. The meetings will be under the leadership of Miss Amelia Davis.

—A teacher from the Montgomery Industrial school gave an interesting talk on the work and aims of the institute, at the prayer meeting at the Congregational church last Friday evening.

—The regular monthly sociable will be held in the Unitarian church parlors next Friday evening. A dramatic entertainment, a feature of which is a play written by Miss Esther Tiffany entitled, "Bachelor Maids."

—The Newell Young People's Christian Endeavor Society held a consecration meeting directly after the communion service Sunday afternoon. The topic was: "Influence: why to get it, how to get it, and how to use it."

—Boynton Lodge W. O. I. O. L. held its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. Preparations were made for a visitation from Dorchester Lodge, but owing to the severe storm, the visitors did not arrive. A banquet was served at close of business exercises.

—The Educational club holds its regular meeting this (Friday) afternoon in the Unitarian church parlors. Mrs. Flora D. Sampson will present a report of the annual meeting of the Mass. Federation at Great Barrington. Several papers on "Summer Outings," will be given by members of the club.

—The next meeting of the Congregational Club will be held Monday evening in the Second Congregational church. It will be a Ladies' night. The subject for the evening will be "Parental Education; Do they Properly Supplement Each Other?" The speakers are Mrs. Alice Peloubet Norton, Miss Annie B. Tomlinson, Mrs. Louise H. Putnam and Mrs. Francis E. Clark. Music will be furnished by a quartette from the First church.

—One of the attractions of the coming week is the musical and literary entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Educational club and the Newton Equal Suffrage League in the Unitarian church parlors Wednesday evening. A charming program will be presented by Mrs. Florence Howe Hall. One half the proceeds of the entertainment will be given for the education of the freedmen at the south.

—A meeting of special interest was held Wednesday evening by John Eliot Lodge A. O. U. W. in Odd Fellows hall. Grand supervisor W. F. Sanborn of Lowell, District Deputy I. Albert Smith of Codman lodge and representatives from Newton, Auburndale, Waltham, Watertown and Needham lodges were present. Three applications were read. At the close of the regular business, the degree team in their natty sailor costumes did the cork work in a most creditable manner. Many of the movements brought forth hearty applause from the audience. A collation was served in the banquet hall, followed by speeches witty and pithy from G. S. Sanborn, D. D., I. Albert Smith, L. S. Alcom, L. A. Dow, Browers of Waltham, J. E. Keyes of Auburndale, W. A. Clark, Br. Small of Everett and others. The lodge will boast of over 100 members before Jan. 1st, and all members are anxious to induce others to join, as

they consider this one of the best and cheapest orders.

—Patrolman Butler returned Wednesday from his annual vacation.

—Sergt. Fred M. Mitchell of police headquarters is enjoying a week's vacation.

—The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Baptist vestry, Tuesday afternoon.

—Several members of the Unitarian society attended the Middlesex conference at Cambridge, Wednesday.

—A Young Men's debating club was recently formed here with the following officers: Pres. W. F. Spooner; vice pres., Richard A. Hunt; sec. and treas., F. M. Morton; Advisory com., E. E. Burdon, H. A. Pike and J. McKissock; entertainment com., Paul C. Waters and Henry C. Nickerson. The club will meet every two weeks in the Baptist vestry and discuss the leading questions of the day. "The New City Charter" was the bone of contention at the debate Wednesday evening.

—Last evening in the Park theatre, Waltham, Mr. James R. Condrin's new play, "The Broken Bowspit," was given its first production by the Young Men's Association of that place. The performance was given under the personal direction of the author, and for a "first night" was exceptionally smooth, moving without those unpleasant hitches which usually characterize amateur performances. The play is simple in construction, and typically American. The work of Mr. Condrin as old man Tanner was up to the usual high standard. Miss Katherine Ryan and Miss Katherine McInerney, as Della and Mary Watson respectively, were very cordially received. The entire play is a credit to Mr. Condrin, who is certainly to be congratulated on its success.

NEWTON HOSPITAL.

To the People of Newton:—

In issuing this, our annual appeal to the generosity of the citizens of Newton, in behalf of so worthy an institution as the Newton Hospital, we desire to express our appreciation of the very liberal manner with which our former appeals for financial aid have been responded to by our people.

With the increase of work from year to year and its consequent increase of expense, it has been most gratifying to note the quick response to meet its needs.

The demands upon the limited accommodations and resources of the Hospital, which on several occasions have been beyond its capacity, have necessitated some special appeals and efforts in the direction of enlarging its field of usefulness, by the addition of long-needed facilities, which would materially perfect its equipment as a modern hospital, and by such additional facilities, enable it to fully meet the pressing demands now being made on it.

It will be, we are sure, very gratifying to all friends of the Hospital to be advised that, through the generosity and influence of several of our most esteemed citizens, these long-needed facilities are to be supplied in the immediate future, and that the work of erecting an operating theatre and accident ward, a commodious surgical ward, and a children's ward has already been entered upon, and will be completed during the coming year.

With the addition of these facilities, there will come a consequent increase in the cost of maintenance, which we are assured will be met by our citizens in the same hearty and liberal manner with which they have responded to its needs in former occasions.

We therefore appeal to all our people to meet the very generous gifts now being made to extend its work and usefulness, by prompt and generous subscriptions on Hospital Sunday, Nov. 21, to provide for its increased cost of maintenance.

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ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
State Bonds.....	\$5,505.62	Capital Stock.....	\$100,000.00
Loans on Real Estate.....	2,620.00	Surplus Fund.....	20,000.00
Loans to Corporations.....	64,488.92	Discount.....	4,801.51
Time Loans with collaterals.....	140,272.97	Commissions.....	36.58
Demands Loans with collaterals.....	28,460.00	Earnings undivided.....	1,910.42
Notes of individuals and firms.....	43,097.46	Deposits subject to check.....	244,284.77
Expense account.....	1,476.85	Treasurer's checks.....	349.78
Interest paid.....	1,270.41	Reserved for taxes.....	800.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,219.50		
Safe deposit vaults.....	6,500.00		
Overdrafts (secured).....	1,067.83		
Cash in office.....	7,063.20		
Cash in Banks.....	35,050.30		
	\$872,279.06		\$872,279.06

MIDDLESEX SS. Then personally appeared John W. Weeks, President, and John W. Weeks, A. C. Judkins, John F. Lathrop, Wm. F. Hammett, Frank J. Hale, James W. French, Samuel Farquhar, Elias B. Jones and George Royal Palfier, a majority of the Board of Directors of the Newtonville Trust Company, and made oath to the truth of the above statement, by them subscribed, to the best of their knowledge and belief. Before me, JOHN F. PAYNE, Justice of the Peace.

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NEWTON.

Cotton street and leaving the first named streets in an impassible condition.

—Ex-Mayor Hibbard has gone to Hot Springs, Va., for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Babcock returned to her home in Syracuse, N. Y., on Wednesday.

—Mr. George Bush of Elmwood street has been in Brantree this week visiting his father.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Trowbridge will receive next month at their residence 205 Hunnewell terrace.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lapham, formerly of Brookline, have taken the house in Billings Park, formerly occupied by Mr. F. H. Howes.

—The stone retaining walls along the depressed tracks will all be completed in two weeks, it is expected, if the weather proves at all favorable.

—Mayor Cobb left Tuesday for Racine, Wis., to attend a railway conference. During his absence Alderman White of Ward 5 will be acting mayor.

—The Channing Union will meet next Sunday evening at 7.30 in the parlors of the Channing church. Subject, "Personal Responsibility." All are cordially invited.

—About 10 o'clock last Saturday morning, Chemical A and hose 1 wagon were called out on a still alarm to extinguish a small blaze at the house 638 Centre street. No damage.

—The temporary bridge at Centre street crossing was opened Wednesday morning, and is a marked improvement over the old crossing, besides giving some idea how the new bridge will make the street look.

—At Hotel Vendome, Boston, last Saturday, the Massachusetts Single Tax League entertained the Massachusetts Women Suffrage Association. A number of speakers from this place attended, and among the speakers was Mr. C. B. Fillebrown.

—Miss Clara Crawford Perkins, who gave an interesting course of lectures on French Architecture, last year, has begun a course on Italian Artists. The next lecture will be given at Mr. E. Eddy's, Franklin street, on Thursday at 10.30. Subject, "Ghiberti and Donatello."

—It was hoped to put the spans for the Centre place bridge across the tracks on Sunday next, but the lack of stone for the north abutment may prevent. The stone has only been ordered as needed to prevent crowding the freight yard, but the east winds of the past week have kept vessels carrying it from entering Boston harbor.

—Last Saturday evening at the residence of the bride's father on Maple street, took place the marriage of Miss Nellie Matilda, daughter of Mr. J. C. Fickett, and Mr. Richard Herbert Little. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke, pastor of the Channing church. Mr. and Mrs. Little will be at home at 27 Maple street after December 1st.

—Among the gentlemen from this place who attended the exercises at the American house, Boston, Tuesday evening, which marked the 25th anniversary of the great Boston fire were Mr. Frank Barrows, Mr. Frank Jenkins, Asst. Chief Humphreys, Mr. H. H. Hyde, Mr. Charles Berry, and W. E. Glover. With the exception of Asst. Chief Humphreys these members of the fire department were attached to engine company 1, and worked with the steamer "Great Fire."

—Mr. S. M. Sayford, the "College Evangelist," has been laboring with great acceptance among the students of the State University of Minnesota at Minneapolis, going from there to "Carleton College" at Northfield, Minn., thence to Chicago, where he is engaged for a month among the students of the professional schools. In the ten years Mr. Sayford has given to this work he has visited three hundred institutions of higher learning and won the favor of professors and students. He has received, recently, strong invitations to visit the schools of Japan and India.

—The woman's auxiliary of the Newton Y. M. C. A. entertained the friends of the association Tuesday evening at an informal reception in association hall. The hall was handsomely decorated with chrysanthemums and palms, which were arranged to form a recess in which was stationed the receiving party including Pres. F. H. Tucker, C. D. Kepner and the reception committee of the auxiliary. After the formal reception a musical entertainment was provided, and addresses were made by Pres. Tucker and Mr. H. M. Moore of Boston. An exhibition of torch singing by the junior gymnasium class brought the entertainment to a close.

—The Newton Golf Club held a very successful members handicap tournament on the Centre street links last Saturday afternoon. The scores follow:

Name	Total.	Handicap.	Net.
F. N. Robbins.....	105	15	90
W. Walworth.....	103	10	93
Linder.....	103	8	95
Holbrook.....	105	10	95
Gilbert.....	105	10	95
Turner.....	110	15	95
Converse.....	111	15	96
M. Cobb.....	112	15	97
Wilke.....	112	15	97
Hopkins.....	123	25	98
Potter.....	127	25	102
Weston.....	129	20	109
J. J. Walworth.....	102	0	102
A. B. Cobb.....	115	12	103
Rogers.....	116	5	106
Mrs. A. B. Cobb.....	138	30	108
Blodgett.....	135	25	110

A wedding of unusual interest to the older residents of Newton was that of Mrs. Sarah C. Monroe to Mr. Alfred Willoughby of Woburn. It took place Tuesday afternoon, at the bride's home, corner of Centre and Richardson streets, in the presence of a small company of invited friends and relatives, and Rev. Dr. Davis of the Eliot church officiated. Mrs. Monroe has been for many years a resident of Newton, and has a great number of warm friends here, who congratulate her heartily on her marriage. Mr. Willoughby was an old schoolmate and friend, but they had not met again until about a year ago. He has been a resident of Woburn for many years, where he has been one of the leading citizens. Among the many handsome presents received were those from Mrs. Willoughby's only daughter, Mrs. Hitchcock, of California, and from Mr. Willoughby's son who resides in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby will make their home in Newton.

A fall of 20 feet from the unfinished bridge over the tracks at Washington street resulted in the death of William Robinson, last Sunday afternoon. The building operation at Washington street attracted large crowds all day, and many of the on-lookers, including Robinson, persisted in standing on the iron girders over the tracks to obtain a better view. Robinson had been warned several times, it is said, by the bridge foreman, but seemed to be fascinated and constantly returned to his station midway across the excavation to sit on the narrow iron span. He had no hold and the iron work afforded but a precarious resting place. He had been in this position for about 20 minutes when he started to get up. The spectators saw him throw up his hands and fall into the excavation. He struck heavily on his head and shoulders in a pile of iron on the tracks and was taken up in an unconscious condition and carried to station 1, where he died within five minutes. Death was due to a broken neck. It is supposed that he became dizzy from long looking into the excavation and lost his foothold in an attack of vertigo. His remains were viewed by Medical Examiner Meade of Watertown and turned over to his friends. Robinson was 53 years of age, and was employed as a blacksmith by John Scott of Washington street. He was a veteran of the late war and came to Newton about four months ago from Medford. He was a

widower and with his son resided at the Central house in Nonantum square.

—A. W. Rees has entered the employ of Ashley & Doane.

—M. I. Pinkos has removed his tailoring business to Cambridge.

—Mr. T. B. Boland has closed out his store and left last Friday for Worcester.

—This evening at the Eliot church will be held the annual election of church officers.

—Miss Corger, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Corger of Emerson street, left Monday for her home in Woodstock, New Brunswick.

—The Social Science Club will meet with Mrs. J. D. Barrows, 106 Washington street, Wednesday, Nov. 17th, at 10 o'clock. Mr. Richard Wood Cone will address the club on "Voice Culture." Guests may be invited.

—Mrs. A. C. Webber, mother of Dr. F. W. Webber, died at her home in Cambridge last Friday, and the funeral services were held on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Webber had been ill for some time, but her death was unexpected, and the sad news reached Dr. Webber on his return from his wedding trip. A husband and four sons survive her.

—On account of his son's illness, Mr. T. L. Mason has returned to Newton, where he resumed charge of the business, which his sons have been conducting. The nature of Mr. Howard Mason's illness is now said to be paralysis. The best specialists have been called in, and they give some hope that he may recover, but it will be after a long time. A slight improvement is reported over last week.

—The guests of the Hunnewell gave Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Miller a surprise party, Monday night, at their new home on the corner of Vernon street and Waverley avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were for six years guests at the Hunnewell and the surprise was a very pleasant one, especially as it was so complete. Refreshments were served by Paxton. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Eben Sears, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheelock, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hazlewood, Mrs. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Emery, Miss Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nichols, Mr. E. R. Burbank and Mr. T. C. Phelps.

—Now that the city authorities have called the contractors, who are digging up Waverley avenue to account, better things may be hoped for, but such reckless disregard of public rights in a street was never shown here. The whole street has been dug up, people owning teams find it impossible to drive out of their stables; crossings are practically disregarded and the trench is only half lighted, and on some nights has not been lighted at all. As the work is under the charge of a state board, better things might be expected, and Mayor Cobb has called the contractors sharply to account for their negligence. As the city gives the use of the street to the metropolitan water board, the least that could be expected would be to have the work done so as to interfere as little as possible with the public convenience.

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—Coolidge block on Centre street is being repaired and painted.

—Mrs. Clinton Hunter of Norwood avenue is visiting in Danville, Illinois.

—Mr. Jeremiah Johnson, formerly of Maple avenue, has removed to West Newton.

—Mr. George Walker and family of Montvale road have returned from New Hampshire, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Storror of Oak Hill have closed their summer home and removed to Boston.

—Large strips of concrete sidewalks and crossings have been laid this week on Landley road and Beacon street.

—Mr. Sumner and family have taken a house on Commonwealth avenue between Grant avenue and Chestnut terrace.

—About fifteen Newton Centre citizens have joined the Knights of Malta organized Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at Newtonville.

—Miss Minnie E. Chester, daughter of Mr. Dwight Chester of Parker street, has returned to Europe, where she will resume her art studies.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday, services at 10.30, conducted by Rev. W. H. Savage of Watertown. Sunday school at 12. Boys' Club at 6.45.

—The Young People's Union of the Baptist church held a social Wednesday evening in the church parlors, which was largely attended by the members of the society and their friends.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Miss Lucy J. Calahan, Miss M. Chamberlain, The Misses Pierce, George Chapman, Arthur B. Farnsworth, John Fulton, Samuel Stanley White & Stowe.

—Over 70 children were confirmed last Sunday afternoon at the Church of the Sacred Heart on Centre street. The services were in charge of Archbishop Williams, assisted by Rev. Fr. Brosnahan of Waltham.

—Mrs. Salisbury, formerly of Parker street, and well known to older residents, died this week in Stow, Mass. She was about 75 years old, and had spent a large part of her life in this place. She leaves a husband and two sons.

—The running time of the cars between this place and Newton has been changed this week. Cars run every half-hour instead of the twenty minute time. They will leave each terminus at 8 minutes before and 22 minutes after the hour.

—At the mission training conference held in Boston last week, under the auspices of the Intercollegiate Y. M. C. A., were delegates from the Newton Theological Seminary, and the Newton training school. Mr. Vinton was one of the speakers.

—The first social of the season at the Unitarian church was held Wednesday evening in the church parlors. The affair called out a large attendance of church members, and was very successful. The evening's program consisted of musical and literary entertainment given by the young people. Refreshments were later served.

—Patrolmen of division 3 Monday evening discovered that W. O. Knapp's grocery store in White's block on Beacon street, had been entered during the early evening. Entrance was obtained by breaking a rear window. The store was thoroughly ransacked, and a good deal of damage was done, although nothing was stolen but a few cigars and a small quantity of candy.

—Miss Mary Catherine Cotter, daughter of Mr. Jeremiah Cotter the well known contractor, died last Monday morning at the home of her father on Fuller street. Death was due to consumption. Miss Cotter was 30 years old, and had a large circle of friends among the young people of this place. For some time she assisted her father in the management of his business, and was able to attend to her duties until last April. The funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the Church of the Sacred Heart.

AN EMPEROR'S JOKE.

We sat in the commander's private cabin of H. M. S. —shall we say?—Shatterer. One mustn't give actual names, for obvious reasons. I was the guest of my cousin, who had braved the slow promotion of the navy, and, as a result, now controlled the destinies of the first class cruiser aforesaid. I had drifted into journalism, and my slight knowledge of things nautical had secured me the somewhat coveted post of special correspondent to a London daily during the naval maneuvers. Luckily I was able to "stow my hammock," so to speak, in my cousin's ship, and now we lay, after the completion of the programme, in Southampton water, the temporarily estranged fleets joined once more in friendly unity. In two long lines at regular distance the pick of Britain's first defense lay at their anchors. The situation, combined with my remark on the sailor's immersion, had evidently recalled certain memories to the mind of Cousin Clynche, as we always called him. I made haste to benefit thereby and under a solemn promise of secrecy listened to the following yarn:

"I must leave you to guess the year. It is not so very long ago. I was second on the Blaster at the time, the flagship, with old Blandine in command. She was in the reserve squadron, under Admiral Culmore, and headed the A division of nine ships told off to keep the B division, under old Halfpence, from devastating the shores of Great Britain. We each had our share of torpedo boats and destroyers, and for a fortnight in July had maneuvered and outmaneuvered each other to the solemn satisfaction of the lords and the unspeakable disgust of Jack.

"We had had midnight alarms (utterly foolish to the minds of the 'tween decks), the usual number of breakdowns and lame ducks, mingled with occasional narrow shaves from collision, which last were hugely appreciated by the men as savoring of real danger. However, all that was over. The combined squadrons were anchored, very much as we are now, in a well known bay on the south coast, prior to taking up their stations for the year. We had added three or four line of battle ships that year, and a very imposing show they made. They flanked the fleet of 20 of the finest ironclads in the world. These additions to our defense had been the cause of much heartburning to our continental neighbors. They disliked intensely to see the mistress of the seas lengthening her already all powerful arm, and the press of their respective countries had some bitter remarks to make on the 'arrogant display of armed force,' as they chose to term it. There is no doubt that such comments humiliated us, and it only by some magic stroke he could consign Britain's reserve squadron to the bottom of the sea what a happy monarch he would be! All this, you say, has nothing to do with our nautical and my sensational experience. I have my own opinion on that point.

"Well, there we were after all the strain and worry of mimic battle lying snugly in my bay. From the papers which we welcomed (news are a pleasing uncertainty at maneuvers), we saw that William was making an inspection of his North sea ports in one of his fastest turret ships, accompanied by a whole fleet of torpedo boats. Why he should tuck on so many small fry to his train was a mystery, but, then, he had his peculiar ways. No doubt in his absence from his beloved guards he solaced himself by drilling these rakish little craft. He had also noticed the French government that he would put a friendly visit to Calais and do himself the honor of inspecting the new dock almost completed there. England, however, did not seem to be included in the programme. The sight of our floating armament might have proved too much for his feelings.

"His arrival at Calais had just been noted the day before we came to anchor. The evening was fine, but extremely dark. No shore leave had been granted, but there was a feeling of relaxation throughout the fleet, and the hands had indulged in an extra hour of skylarking. (Jack will have his daily skylark.) After mess some of us had settled ourselves on deck, and, by and by, as the noises ceased and the lights went out one might from the feeling of solitude have imagined oneself in the middle of the Indian ocean. The pitchy darkness added to the effect. We had no shore lights to brighten up the coast, some five miles off. I could hear midnight fairly striking from some village clock. The watch was being changed, and I was thinking of turning in when one of the newly installed A. Bs, unused to the darkness, managed to lose his footing on the fo'c'sle head and tumble overboard. Murphy (he hailed from Cork) yelled like blazes as soon as he got his mouth free of the sea, as if at least a dozen sharks were after him. The cry, 'Man overboard,' was promptly responded to. A lifebuoy was thrown and the cutter aloft inside of two minutes.

"To aid in the recovery—though Murphy's howls sufficiently betrayed his whereabouts—the searchlight was turned on. The Irishman was soon picked up, and received a volley of chaff from his messmates when it was seen he had come to no harm. As the searchlight swept round seaward before closing down my eyes involuntarily fell on a shadowy hull, then another, and yet a third, lying, as nearly as I could judge, about half a mile from our ship. I was first amazed, then startled. What craft could these be in such close proximity to our fleet and without lights of any kind? As I rose to report their presence I distinctly heard a metallic clang borne across the still water from the direction of the shadows. 'The fall of a breech block, and a heavy one, too, or I'm a Dutchman!' I muttered as I made for the officer of the watch. 'What devilment is this, I wonder?' Young Purchase promptly ordered the searchlight to bear on the distant objects, quite invisible without its aid. As the light slowly revolved we counted 11 craft to seaward, all lying in darkness, but another surprise was in store for us. An light completed its circuit we discovered between our line and the shore some ten dark patches, each one exactly opposite each ship of our inner line. 'What in thunder does this mean?' said Purchase, in charge of the watch. 'They can't be our allies. They scurried off 12 hours ago. They can't be ordinary tramps lying about like this without lights. Can it be some joke of old Halfpence, trying to get the bludge on us with his torpedoes?' 'Impossible,' said I. 'Why, they are

threatening his own ship, not to mention his division. Besides, you know, all our small fry went east this morning.' 'But look here, old man,' burst in Purchase eagerly. 'Suppose this is a little game of the admiralty. They may have signalled the torpedo flotilla off the coast and sent instructions on board to head back quietly and surround us, with the idea of catching us napping. But not this time, eh?' and the youngster grinned sardonically. 'Let's have the chief up, anyhow,' I said. 'I don't like the sound of that breech block, and somehow feel uneasy.'

"The position was at once reported to old Benbrace, who, as it happened, was having a final game of chess with the admiral. He full immediately came on deck. Admiral Culmore took one comprehensive look through his night glass at the objects revealed by the searchlight, emitted an equally comprehensive 'D—n!' and said shortly to Benbrace, 'A cruiser and torpedo boats—foreigners! Captain, all hands on deck and to quarters. Clear for action and out torpedo nets. Signal the fleet enemy in sight, clear for action and stand by to weigh anchor.' Culmore was senior in command, and in the twinkling of an eye I scanned, in response to our night signals, the whole fleet was alive with men. Boats' whistles piped shrilly, the steam windlass clattered merrily as it coiled up the huge anchor cable, electric lights flashed, and, from all the apparent confusion, perfect discipline evolved the British lion 'on guard.' 'Thought them blundering alarms was off for the time being,' muttered a brawny A. B. as he buckled on his cutlasses and formed up in his square. 'There'll be the deuce of us yet.'

"Mr. Clynche," said the commander when his preparations were complete, 'take the gig and an armed boat's crew. Board that cruiser. Admiral Culmore's compliments to the commander, and what the devil does it all mean? Ask if he knows the international regulations and the consequences of lying in British waters under the nose of the fleet without lights.' In just a minute and a quarter I was on my way to full uniform to take the admiral's mission. By this time lights were twinkling from our mysterious visitants. I made for the black hull of the cruiser. In less than ten minutes I had the satisfaction of hailing the quarterdeck of the formidable vessel. 'What ship are you?' I sang out. 'His imperial majesty's ship Hoch und Hoch,' came in reply in guttural German. 'Pshaw!' I whistled softly. 'My instructions are to board you with a message to your commander from the admiral, the trading her Britannic majesty's reserve squadron.' 'So?' said a voice. 'Come aboard.'

"A couple of Teutons obligingly trotted down the gangway which had been lowered, and on reaching the deck I was met with a clash of arms, as half a squad of tars came to the 'present.' 'Um!' I thought, 'polite enough, anyhow,' though I marvelled if it were the custom of the service to keep their men in review under the night through to be ready for casual visitors like myself. 'My message is for the commander of this ship,' I said. 'Can I see him?' 'Ach, certainly,' and I had hardly time to look round before a fat little man in a tight fitting uniform stood before me. 'Was can I for you do?' he murmured in indifferent English. 'Compliments of Admiral Culmore on board her majesty's ship Blaster, and what the devil do you mean by surrounding the British trading her Britannic majesty's reserve squadron.' 'Very regret, but I my orders had,' responded my little friend, rather shamefacedly I thought. 'Orders!' I said, 'But are you not in charge of this ship and those torpedo boats?' 'Ya wohl, yes; but I my orders haf,' he repeated. 'Then, all I can say is that the bright specimen who gave you your orders ought to thank his stars that your whole armament has not been blown out of the water. I am not sure that it is too late yet,' and I made a motion as if to go. I rather enjoyed the little man's evident discomfort. 'No, no,' he said vehemently, 'my superior is aboard. I will mit him speak.' 'Show the officer below, Schenken,' interrupted a commanding voice from the open companion. I descended as requested, preceded by the noble captain, who, as we entered the cabin, abruptly turned round and ejaculated, 'The Emperor!' I bowed me forward to the far famed William I, and saluted stiffly. He had evidently heard what had passed, as, without waiting for any explanation, he said, 'My compliments to Admiral Culmore and I will do myself the honor of boarding his ship without delay and explaining this apparent breach of etiquette. I will convey your majesty's message,' I said, and made for the deck. As I went over the side little Schenken whispered, 'No notice take, only his little joke.' 'Yes, yes,' I whispered back, 'very pretty little joke, only you don't carry it far enough. Why didn't you fire your Barbettes gun? I heard you loading her! It would have completed the surprise, you know.' The little man started. 'Hush, say nothings, say nothings, my friend. Only his little joke,' and I left the commander of the Hoch und Hoch looking as uncomfortable as any man could.

"As I left the ship I heard orders given for the cutter to be launched, and before I had well got back and delivered my message his imperial majesty was almost upon us. We were able to receive him in a regal way, and the wonder of the fleet must have been amazing when they heard the strains of the German national anthem float across the water from our band. As to the nature of the interview that followed I never knew precisely. It was given out that, knowing the fleet lay in this neighborhood, the emperor had suddenly been seized with the idea of paying a surprise visit, and to show his old friend Culmore what could be done by a little strategy had taken up his position by the lights of the fleet, just to see if the British admiral could be caught napping. From the expression of his majesty's face as he went over the side I imagine that his old friend Culmore had presented his little ship in quite another light. Of course the papers were full of it, commenting on the reckless activity of William and his unexpected friendly visit. All the same," said Cousin Clynche, throwing his cigar over the side, "you won't make me believe that that, if the enterprising emperor had remained undiscovered for half an hour longer that evening each of our ironclads would have had a torpedo under her quarter, and without knowing the hand that struck the blow, we should have been wiped off the face of the sea. Murphy saved us. And William? Oh, his fast cruiser and her satellites would have been back before dawn in Calais harbor innocently practicing torpedo drill."

All the same, I, Thomas Cutcliffe, journalist, woefully regretted not having been posted at the time in the facts of the 'Emperor's Little Joke.'—Today.

His Activity.
"This obituary says that McTurk was very active in Masonic circles." "Yes. He used to touch every brother he met."—Detroit News.

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Legal Notices

Mortgagee's Sale
Of Real Estate.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Herbert M. Beal to the Workingmen's Co-operative Bank, dated March 13, 1896 and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds 146, 2446 page 525 will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on Tuesday the thirtieth day of November 1897, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Newton Upper Falls, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Northwestern line of Chandler Place, distant two hundred and fifty two feet Northeastly to land now or late of Clapp; thence running Northeastly by said Chandler Place, fifty feet; thence by a right angle running Southeastly to land now or late of New York and New England Rail Road, formerly of Boston, Hartford and Erie Rail Road; thence running Southeastly by said Rail Road about fifty feet to land conveyed by said Herbert M. Beal in mortgage to the Boston Co-operative Bank by deed recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds book 2318, page 525; then a running Northwestly by said land so conveyed in mortgage as aforesaid to the point begun at. Being a portion of the premises conveyed by Ellen M. Lee to said Herbert M. Beal by deed dated February 17, 1891, recorded as aforesaid book 2025 page 346, and said premises are to be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Two Hundred Dollars of the purchase money to be paid at time of sale; other terms made known at time and place of sale. For further particulars inquire of the MASSACHUSETTS TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, Devonshire Building, Boston.

By FRANK R. SEARS, Treasurer.
Boston November 3, 1897.

CITY OF NEWTON.

Registration of Voters,
1897.

City Election, Tuesday, Dec. 7th

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters, commencing Monday, November 8th, 1897, will hold sessions for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward Lists at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily, from 8.30 A. M. to 12 M.; except Wednesday, November 17th, as hereinafter stated; and from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturday, November 13th, when the hours are from 8.30 A. M. to 12 M.; also

At City Hall, Friday, November 12th, 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

Newton Centre—Associates' Hall, Pleasant street, Saturday, November 13th, 2.30 to 4.30 o'clock P. M. and 7.30 to 9.30 o'clock P. M.

At City Hall, Wednesday, November 17, from 12 M. to 10 o'clock P. M., which is the last session of the Registrars preceding the election of December 7, 1897, and after 10 o'clock P. M. of said November 17, 1897, the Registrars will not, before the Election, add any names to the Register, except the names of voters examined as to their qualifications since the preceding thirtieth day of April.

Every male person whose name is not on the Voting List, must, in order to be registered as a voter, appear in person before the Registrars of Voters at a session on either of the days above mentioned, presenting a certificate from the assessor or tax collector or from the collector of taxes showing that he has been assessed for a poll tax as a resident of the city or town on the preceding first day of May,—Chap. 61, Acts 1885.

All women whose names are not on the lists and who wish to register must appear in person before the Registrars of Voters, to be qualified, as required by law.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register.

If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age, the son may be naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the State one year, and in the City of Newton six months next preceding December 7, 1897, being able to read and write, and duly registered, shall have the right to vote at the City election to be held December 7, 1897.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES, Registrars.
GEORGE H. BOURNE, of Voters.
HENRY H. FANNING, of Voters.
ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

City Hall, Newton, October 13, 1897.

NOMINATIONS

FOR
CITY ELECTION

December 7th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that all certificates of nominations for the City Election are required to be filed in the office of the City Clerk on or before 5 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, Nov. 24th, 1897, and all nomination papers must be filed on or before 5 o'clock P. M. Friday, Nov. 26th, 1897. All nomination papers must be reasonably handed to the Registrars of Voters to permit them to examine and certify the same before filing.

Chap. 417, Acts 1895.
Chap. 244, Acts 1895.
Chap. 262, Acts 1895.

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

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- Bonsal, Stephen, Jr. The Real Condit Cuba To-day. 71.468
- Mr. Bonsal's book was published in the early summer, and was the result of a visit of observation to Cuba.
- Catherwood, Mary. Pathways. Days of Jean D'Arc. 64.1800
- Crawford, Francis Marion. Corleone. 2 vols. 61.1161
- Gilder, Jeannette Leonard. Taken by Siege. 64.1807
- A New York story of operatic and journalistic life. Miss Gilder is the editor of The Critic.
- Harris, George. Inequality and Progress. 83.209
- The writer contends that inequality always has been and always will be the condition of progress.
- Henty, George Alfred. With Frederick the Great: A Story of the Seven Years' War. 64.1791
- Lang, Andrew. The Book of Dreams and Ghosts. 54.1166
- Lippmann, Julie M. Miss Wildfire: A Story for Girls. 62.993
- Manacine, Marie de. Sleep: its Physiology, Pathology, Hygiene and Psychology. 102.805
- Montreal. Official Guide and Souvenir: British Medical Association. 33.490
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NONANTUM.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting last Sunday evening was led by Miss McConkey.

—The regular meeting of the King's Daughters of the North Evangelical church was held last evening.

—Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. C. P. Worth on 5th avenue, Watertown, the members of the North Evangelical church, held a cottage prayer meeting.

—On the Magnolia gridiron last Saturday afternoon, the Bigelow football eleven and the Adams school team played an interesting match, the Bigelows winning by a score of 4 to 0.

—B. Berkman of Watertown street has disposed of his stock of goods to M. Levine. The store will be closed soon, as Mr. Berkman intends to establish a new business in Boston.

—The long-looked for match between the Garden City A. C. foot ball eleven and the Allen school team is off, the latter team having declined to enter the match. They have decided to meet only school teams.

—A large number of ladies connected with the Buelah Baptist mission have organized a Ladies Aid society which will greatly assist the officers in their work. The first meeting for the election of officers will be held this week.

—In the police court Monday morning John O'Brien of "the Bowery," off Adams street, charged by Patrolman Davis of division 2 with assault on his wife Catherine. Sunday afternoon, was sentenced to four months in the house of correction.

—This evening St. Elmo lodge, Sons of Temperance, will receive an official visit from Grand Worthy Patriarch Rev. J. F. Packard of Walnut Hill and several other officers from the grand lodge. The exercises will be held in St. Elmo hall on Bridge street and will probably be largely attended.

—The meeting at the Buelah Baptist mission last Sunday afternoon was attended by nearly 100. The speaker was Mr. Francis Tolman, and his remarks were listened to with great interest. Next Sunday afternoon Gus King of Cambridge will lead. Mr. King is well known by the mem-

bers of the mission, who are always pleased to hear him speak.

—Delegates from Centre lodge, I. O. G. T. of this place visited Demorest lodge at Lower Falls, Wednesday evening.

—Already three candidates for the '98 board of aldermen have been mentioned in this place. Each of these gentlemen have served in the common council, and are willing it is said to accept a nomination this year.

—The case against Andrew Delorey, the ex-politician of Watertown, charged with the loss of 1500 pounds of wool, valued at \$800, from the Bemis mills, was called last Saturday in the district court at Waltham. Delorey was employed as night watchman at the mill. George Crossland, superintendent of the Bemis mills, testified to the disappearance of wool at different times. Frank H. Wheeler, station agent at Bemis, testified to seeing Delorey place bags of wool in the station baggage-room on different occasions. J. M. Gibbs, expressman, and S. Bornstein, junk dealer, were also witnesses. The court found probable cause of the guilt of defendant, and he was held in \$3000 for his appearance before the grand jury.

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NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. Frank Lane enjoyed a bicycle trip to Lowell last Sunday.

—William Dyson is making changes in the interior of his store on Winter street.

—The office of the Garden City coal company on Mechanic street has been recently refitted and improved.

—The Centre Stars football team was defeated last Saturday afternoon by the Needham High school eleven by a score of 4 to 0.

—The Juvenile Dramatic Club will give its performance in Wade hall, next Thursday evening, when a rare program is promised.

—Messrs. Sullivan and Landry, bicycle dealers, are the inventors of a new tandem wheel which is greatly admired by local wheelmen.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Mary Gaudle, Mrs. Milliken, Mr. Nellie Nooping, Michael McCarthy and Kate McCarthy.

—Sunday evening Mrs. Annie Keyler of Grove street, East Boston, fell from a carriage on Chestnut street, and sustained a number of slight injuries.

—Rev. J. Davis will preach Sunday evening to the young men in the Baptist church on "Companionship," taking for his text "He that walketh with the wise shall be wise."

—Mr. William Keefe of Keefe avenue has been confined to the house part of this week, the result of a severe shock received while handling an electric wire at his place of business in Boston, Tuesday.

—There is a petition at the postoffice largely signed by prominent citizens, asking Congress to establish the postal savings bank system, which it is said, is similar to that in operation at present in England.

—Mark Croker, assistant engineer at the pumping station, received an electric shock while at work on the electrical apparatus last Saturday. His hand was severely burned and he received a bad shaking up.

—The driver of the public library express met with a bad accident on Eliot street, last Friday afternoon. His horse became frightened at an electric and shied toward the sidewalk, coming into collision with a tree. The driver was thrown out, and escaped with a few bruises. The top of the wagon was badly damaged. The driver of the team was assisted to Billings' drug store, where his injuries were attended to.

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NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mrs. Morrill of this place has recently come into possession of \$1500 of a bank pension.

—The office at Bishop's mills has been enlarged and a sample room connecting has been added.

—Fr. Callanan of St. John's church, who is confined to his house by a severe illness, is now improving.

—Mrs. Richard Cluff, who was run over by a horse and carriage three weeks ago, has unexpectedly improved from her very injuries and is rapidly regaining strength.

—A public meeting for the cause of Temperance was held in the M. E. church proper, Wednesday evening, under the auspices of Demorest lodge, I. O. G. T. Addresses were delivered to a large and appreciative audience by Charles A. Abbott, D. G. C. T., Dr. C. N. and Mrs. Whitney.

—There is much comment among those coming through on the electric on both the Newton and Natick divisions on account of the poor connections, each road having a distinct running time, regardless of connecting at any time. It is thought when the sewer is put through on Washington street better connections will result.

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Lasell Notes.

Among the enjoyable things of the last few days not least has been the Halloween party in the gymnasium, a "sheet and pillow-case" party so-called, in which the ghastly appearance of the masquers was made doubly suggestive and blood-curdling by their slow and solemn march into the gymnasium, which was illuminated only by the flitting flickerings of an open fire, accentuating the darkness rather than dispelling it. Presently the lights were turned on, and the scene took on a more cheerful aspect, as masks were laid aside, and the fun began: floating apples were "bobbed" for, to the great enjoyment of the onlookers; elusive, dangling apples were subjected to sundry assaults by eager, but unskillful mouths: pop-corn was to be had "round the corner" in a hurry-gurdy which did not flag for a moment during the entire time.

Franklin Hermine Stuen accompanied the usual Saturday evening symphony party.

Miss Annie Payson Call gave, on Monday evening, a lecture on nervous training.

Lasell secures interesting talks on interesting subjects for her lecture courses. This year, thus far, the lectures have been such that those who have heard them have been glad of the opportunity. Miss Peck's talk on "How I climbed the Matterhorn" was very well attended, the audience including a considerable number of friends from outside. The lecturer presented her subject charmingly, and aroused an interest which did not flag for a moment during the entire time.

Dr. C. W. Gallagher and family are now at Lasell. Dr. Gallagher has for many years past been president of Kent's Hill Seminary, Kent's Hill, Me., and previous to that time, president of Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis. He resigned the presidency of the former school because of the election of Mr. Frank Jones, brewer, to the position of trustee of the school. At Lasell he will take the place of Dr. Geo. West, whose illness of last year compelled his resignation.

Instruction in swimming has been resumed this week, and if the acquiring of this art be as popular a pursuit this year as last, the instructor will find all her available time occupied in teaching her numerous pupils. The physical advantages of learning how to swim are many; the knowledge of the art is a safe-guard, invaluable; and the wonder is, not that so many are desirous of acquiring it, but that there are any who are willing to be without this knowledge.

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Newton Graves Of Revolutionary Soldiers.

Newtown Chapter, S. A. R., have recently issued a letter to the citizens of Newton, requesting information of the graves of any Revolutionary soldiers buried within the limits of the city of Newton. Since the formation of the Chapter, last May, the members have been engaged in locating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers buried in the various cemeteries of the city with the view of permanently marking them. A recent request to the city government for an appropriation of \$250 has been granted through the kindness of the military and other committees, and during the past week the Chapter has designated the graves of 67 soldiers with appropriate bronze markers. Owing to the season of the year, anything in the way of formal exercises will be deferred until the spring. The graves so far marked have been located through the efforts of Mr. Henry A. May, secretary of the Roxbury Military Historical Society. It is thought that there are many other graves which cannot be identified as they are not marked by stones and bear no inscriptions. There are also many tombs, the proprietors of which are unknown. The Chapter greatly desires the assistance of Newton's citizens, and request that any information be sent to their registrar, Mr. John W. Drown, Box 625, Newtonville. The graves marked are as follows:

Centre street burying ground—David Bartlett, Norman Clark, Sam'l Clark (tomb), Jonathan Cook, John Eddy, Abraham Fuller, Noah Hyde, Samuel Hyde, Joshua Hammond, Col. Michael Jackson (tomb), Capt. Michael Jackson, Jr. (tomb), Capt. Simon Jackson (tomb), Charles Jackson (tomb), Timothy Jackson, Sr. (tomb), John Kendrick, Jr. (tomb), Joshua Murlock, Elisha Murdoch, Jonathan Parker (tomb), Ebenezer Parker, James Richards, Solomon Robins, Ebenezer Seger, David Stone, Jonas Stone, Jonas Stone, Jr. (tomb), John Stone, Moses Stone, Samuel Trowbridge (tomb), John Thwaites (tomb), John Ward, Jr., Samuel Ward (tomb), Stephen Winchester, Jonathan Winchester, Gen. Wm. Hull (tomb), Ebenezer Brown, Gersham Hyde.

West Newton burying ground—Thomas Beale, Peter Durell, John Durell, Benj. Eddy, Lieut. Col. Nathaniel Fuller (tomb), Capt. Jas. Fuller, Joshua Fuller, Jos. Fuller, John Fuller, Josiah Fuller (tomb), Josiah Jackson, Jr., Phineas Jennison, Jos. Morse, Col. Jos. Ward, Enoch Ward.

Highlands burying ground—Jonathan Bixby (tomb), Michael Cheney (tomb), Thaddeus Hyde (tomb), Elisha Hyde, Jr. (tomb), Samuel Hall, Benj. Parker, Aaron Richards (tomb), Solomon Richards (tomb), Samuel Richardson (tomb), Jonas Stone, Jr. (tomb), Capt. Jeremiah Wiswall (tomb), Capt. Thos. Pettet.

Newton Lower Falls burying ground—Elisha Bartlett, Zibeen Hooker.

Walnut street burying ground—Roger Adams.

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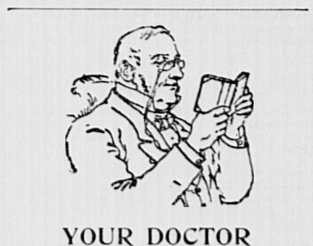
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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton. —Chance for boys to make money. See adv., 8th page.

—Read Knapp's new advertisement in another column. —Mrs. Carter of Etta, Me., is visiting at Mrs. E. J. Thorpe's.

—Mr. Wm. Stearns has not been well for a few weeks, but is much better now.

—Misses Minnie Chester and Hattie Forbes sailed for Europe on Wednesday. —Mr. Frank W. Giles and Miss Blanche M. Young were married Wednesday evening.

—Mr. H. C. Thayer will be the special soloist at the Methodist church next Sunday evening. —Fife's careful express still at 43 Langley road, Boston office 105 State street. Telephone 1024, Boston.

—On and after Nov. 1, all passenger work done by us will be at city prices. E. W. Pratt, Robert Weir, R. J. Ross.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church offer to their friends in this community an unusual chance to get a charming picture, tastefully framed. They will hold an auction sale of fifty pictures at 8 o'clock, Wednesday evening, Nov. 17th. These pictures are fine reproductions of famous artists and illustrators, such as Abbey, Gibson, W. H. Low, Howard Pyle, Thulstrup, Kate Greenaway and many others. They have been carefully selected and are of good artistic merit. They will make a desirable Christmas gift, which will prove acceptable in any home.

—A very delightful song recital was given in Clipping hall, Wednesday evening, Nov. 10th, by Mr. Lyon Ferrand, assisted by Miss Sara Maile, accompanist. Mr. Ferrand's many friends were glad of this opportunity to hear him in public, and his singing at this time gave much pleasure. The songs were rendered in a thoughtful, artistic, and at times, dramatic spirit. Miss Maile's accompaniments are always graceful, and on this occasion showed a development in power, individuality and technique that would naturally come with experience. Among the very musical audience present were many from Newton.

—Rev. E. Y. Mullins, pastor of the First Baptist church, has arranged the following list of Sunday night sermons: Nov. 14, "Yashti, the Queen, or a Defender of Woman's Rights," Nov. 21, "Hamam, the Plotter, or Poetic Justice," Nov. 28, "Esther, the Deliverer, or a High Priestess in the Midst of Brilliant Social Opportunities," Dec. 5, "Mordcaid, the Agent, or the Power Behind the Scenes." This series of sermons will deal with a very interesting group of characters who take part in the dramatic Old Testament story of "Esther." Each character yields an important lesson for our times. The services begin at 7.30 p. m. and continue one hour. The seats

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NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—The next meeting of the Monday Club will be with Mrs. Seward W. Jones. —Have your photos, taken now before the holiday rush. Watkins, Newton Centre.

—The C. L. S. C. will hold its next meeting on Monday, Nov. 15th, with Mrs. Heekman.

—The West End Literary Club, will meet with Mrs. Green at Eliot, on Monday, Nov. 15th.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ireland of Eliot have an addition to the family by the birth of a daughter.

—Mr. Sauer, who is employed at the Highland Mill, has taken a suite of rooms in the Weber building.

—The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. May, who has been quite ill, for 2 or 3 weeks, is now improving.

—A "Talk to Mothers" by Miss Margaret Morley, will be held at Hyde school hall on Friday, Nov. 12th, at 8 o'clock.

—The Sunday evening talk by Rev. Mr. Havens, at the Congregational church, next Sunday, at 7.30, will be "Balaam's."

—Mr. Brown, gate tender at the Boylston street crossing, who has been ill for two weeks past, is now attending to his duties.

—Mr. E. W. Warren of Lincoln street has had his house much improved in appearance, by being painted by Mr. Randall.

—Mr. E. D. Loring, who has occupied a house belonging to Mr. F. F. Dudley on Forest street, has removed to Framingham Centre.

—Mr. and Mrs. Trickey have returned from their wedding trip and have gone to housekeeping in the house belonging to Mr. C. Henry Adams, opposite the station, at Eliot.

—Miss Yeoman of Fiske University will give an address before the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Congregational church next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the chapel.

—A colonial fair, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church, will be held on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 18th and 19th, from 4 to 10 p. m., in Lincoln hall.

—At the Methodist church next Sunday morning, sermon by the pastor, in honor of the Y. M. C. Association, at 10.45. Epworth League service at 6.15. At the evening service city mission work will be presented by a speaker from Epworth settlement, Kingston, at 7 o'clock. All invited.

—Col. Kingsbury could not secure Stevens hall for the Republican caucus as he was not notified in time, the date of the caucus being two weeks before the calling of the caucus. He did the next best thing, however, and secured the hall at the Highland clubhouse, where the caucus will be held.

—Highlandville athletic association eleven defeated the Newton Highlands team on the home grounds at Highlandville Saturday afternoon, 10 to 0. Jackson made a brilliant run of 85 yards in the first half for a touchdown on Newton Highlands' fumble. Houde also made a run of 50 yards around Newton Highlands' left end. Egan failed to kick the first goal.

The summary: HIGHLANDVILLE A. A. NEWTON HIGHLANDS
Frank Slavey 1 e..... t a Billings
Wilson 1 e..... t a Rickerson
Lynes 1 e..... t a Peterson
McGrath 1 e..... t a Sherman
Jackson 1 e..... t a Bates
Smith 1 e..... t a Snow
Slaney 1 e..... t a Sweet
Mayne 1 e..... t a Dresser
Houde 1 h b..... t a Stanley
Whetton 1 h b..... t a Linn
Egan 1 b..... t a Hurt

Score, Highlandville A. A. 10. Touchdowns, Egan. Goal from touchdown, Houde. Umpire, Wragg. Referee, Wragg. Time 29m. halves. Attendance 150.

—The wedding of Mr. Frank W. Giles and Miss Blanche M. Young took place on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Young on Clark street. The best man was Mr. H. W. Boothby of Newton Centre, and the maid of honor was Miss Sadie Hawkes of Malden. Guests were present from New York, Providence, Malden and the Newtons. Miss Moore, and Mrs. J. M. Nichols; Methodist—Mrs. Geo. W. Barber, Mrs. F. O. Barber, and Miss Bigelow. Mrs. J. H. Robinson and her social committee certainly ought to feel compliment-

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—Mr. Wm. I. Howell has resumed piano lessons. See card.

—Developing and printing for amateurs done by E. E. Snyder. If.

—Headquarters for rubber goods and shoes at Otis Brothers, Watertown.

—Mrs. E. P. Tuttle of Franklin street is reported as much improved in health.

—Sewing machine supplies, repairing and machines to let at 10 Pearl court. If.

—Fine French and hall clock repairing at W. A. Hodgeson's, French building, 28 if.

—Mrs. Geo. C. Lord and Miss Marian Lord have gone to Saratoga Springs, New York, for the winter.

—Commander and Consul Mrs. Booth Tucker of the Salvation Army will be at the New England Congress in Boston, Nov. 16, 17, and 18.

—The ladies of the Eliot church sewing society are interested in Western missions, and this week shipped a large amount of clothing for use of poor families.

—Next Friday evening, Nov. 19, Rev. F. B. Hornbroke will address the class for the study of Milton, in the Channing church parlors, on "The Sonnets."

—At the annual meeting of Paul Revere Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, in Boston, last week, Mrs. Lester Goodwin of Orchard street was elected registrar.

—Next Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. D. S. Emery on Waverley avenue, Rev. F. B. Hornbroke will give the third in his series of talks on Tennyson's "Idylls of the King."

—Frank Segala, an Italian employed on the B. & A. excavation, was struck by a falling stone, Wednesday morning, sustaining a severe scalp wound. He was attended by Dr. Frisbie, and removed to his home on Green street.

—The first session of the dancing school under the direction of Miss Emily Cutler was held last Friday afternoon in Mr. Cutler's school room. The patronesses were Mrs. E. M. Springer, Mrs. J. C. Elms, Jr., and Mrs. C. W. Loring.

—A meeting of the Young Men's Club of Eliot church was held Wednesday evening in the church parlors. A large number of members and friends were present, and the meeting was an interesting address by Prof. Prescott of Technology on "Bacteria."

—Music in Grace church Sunday night: Processional, "O Paradise." Barnby Magnificat. Barnby in E flat. Nunc Dimittis. Barnby in E flat. Anthem, "Blessed are the merciful." Hiles. "Send out Thy light." Gounod. Retrocessional, "Nearer my God to Thee." Seats free.

—Yesterday morning at the residence of Mrs. Gorham D. Gilman on Baldwin street, Miss Clara Crawford Perkins gave a very interesting talk before a large company of ladies, on "Renaissance Artists." This was the first in a series of morning talks to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Eliot church.

—Mr. P. A. Murray has just completed an ambulance for the Eliot City Hospital of Keene, N. H., which is a decided improvement on any heretofore built, and will interest physicians and others who have to do with the transportation of the sick. It is to be shipped next Monday, and until then all interested are invited to call at the factory on Washington street and look it over.

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—Mr. Leon H. Vincent lectures at the Eliot chapel, next week Thursday evening, on "Victor Hugo."

—A detail from Co. C will attend the state prize drill in Co. B's armory in Cambridge, next week.

—Miss Ruth Sites, the well-known Chinese missionary, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sites of Carleton street.

—Mrs. J. F. Frisbie of Centre street has been visiting in Winthrop Highlands this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker.

—The third quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held Monday evening, and conducted by Presiding Elder George F. Eaton.

—The 8 o'clock club members listened to an address by Senator Harwood at the residence of Mr. Bancroft Goodwin on Orchard street, last evening.

—A station carriage of the latest pattern, rubber tires, and all modern fixtures, never been used, can be seen at P. A. Murray's. Will be sold at a reasonable price.

—Mrs. C. H. Daniels of Church street has returned from New London, Conn., where she was elected vice-president of the Women's Board of Foreign Missions.

—Col. A. M. Ferris of Hunnewell Hill has been out-of-town this week, enjoying a coaching trip through western Massachusetts, with a party of military gentlemen.

—Dr. Robert Hoskins leaves this week for India where he will continue his missionary work. Mrs. Hoskins will remain in Newton, residing at the Missionary home.

—In the chapel of Eliot church last Tuesday afternoon, Miss Veomans spoke on "Education Methods in the South," before the members of the Ladies' Missionary Society.

—The first Newton electric to run through the Boston subway on a regular trip entered for the first time Monday morning. There were a large number of Newton people on the car, but most of them had ridden through before.

—The Social Science Club held its regular meeting Wednesday morning at the residence of Mrs. N. L. Ripley, Centre street. Interesting papers were read on "The Relation Between the Executive and Legislative Branches of Our Government."

—The Newton Christian Endeavor union will hold its first fall meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Monday evening. An address will be delivered by the state president, and Physical Director Wyatt will give an exhibition of club swinging.

—Last evening the members of the Channing church and their friends enjoyed the first monthly social in the church parlors. Supper was served about 6.30 o'clock, after which a very entertaining musical and literary program was furnished by the young people.

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—Mrs. C. H. Daniels of Church street has returned from New London, Conn., where she was elected vice-president of the Women's Board of Foreign Missions.

—Col. A. M. Ferris of Hunnewell Hill has been out-of-town this week, enjoying a coaching trip through western Massachusetts, with a party of military gentlemen.

—Dr. Robert Hoskins leaves this week for India where he will continue his missionary work. Mrs. Hoskins will remain in Newton, residing at the Missionary home.

—In the chapel of Eliot church last Tuesday afternoon, Miss Veomans spoke on "Education Methods in the South," before the members of the Ladies' Missionary Society.

—The first Newton electric to run through the Boston subway on a regular trip entered for the first time Monday morning. There were a large number of Newton people on the car, but most of them had ridden through before.

—The Social Science Club held its regular meeting Wednesday morning at the residence of Mrs. N. L. Ripley, Centre street. Interesting papers were read on "The Relation Between the Executive and Legislative Branches of Our Government."

—The Newton Christian Endeavor union will hold its first fall meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Monday evening. An address will be delivered by the state president, and Physical Director Wyatt will give an exhibition of club swinging.

—Last evening the members of the Channing church and their friends enjoyed the first monthly social in the church parlors. Supper was served about 6.30 o'clock, after which a very entertaining musical and literary program was furnished by the young people.

—Music in Eliot church next Sunday: Organ prelude, Andante. Schubert Organ, "Hark! Hark! my soul." Shelley Quartet, "Sweet is Thy Mercy, Lord." Barnby Last Movement from Sonata in F minor. Dunham

—The 20th anniversary of the Newton Y. M. C. A. will be observed by most of the Newton churches next Sunday. Special sermons and offerings will be in order at the morning services, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon a union mass meeting for all churches will be held in the association hall. The principal address of the day will be delivered by Mr. F. P. Shumway of Melrose, a diligent member of the state executive committee, the general secretary and president of the association will give brief reports of the year's work. The boys' vested choir of Grace Episcopal church will sing, assisted by H. D. Williams, cornetist. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this union service.

—An event of interest to the older residents of Newton was the observance of the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin B. Converse of their 50th wedding anniversary, which was celebrated at their handsome residence on Park street, and was attended by over 100 guests, representing Holmes, Boston, Brookline, and the various Newtons. The house was very prettily decorated with flowers and potted plants.

—Mr. and Mrs. Converse received informally until 7 o'clock, by assisted by Messrs. H. B. Converse and F. B. Converse. Following the reception a collation was served. Mr. and Mrs. Converse, who are well known and greatly respected, were the recipients of many handsome and costly gifts from their numerous friends.

—Wednesday afternoon and evening the Ladies' Missionary Society of Grace church, held their annual sale in the church parlors. A number of prettily decorated booths were arranged about the parlors, and were in charge of the ladies of the society. In the evening in the guild hall an entertainment was given by the choir guild. The tables were presided over by the following ladies: Canby, Mrs. E. H. Cutler, Miss Hunt, the Misses Holmes, Miss Cutler, Miss Ashenden, Miss Jewell, Miss Kellar, pitcher booth, Mrs. Flint and Mrs. Fenno; aprons and useful articles, Mrs. Ashenden, Mrs. Pond, Miss Page, Mrs. Elms, Miss Hackett; bags and baskets, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Wheelock and Miss Adams; doll table, Mrs. F. N. Robbins; photographic exhibition, Mrs. E. M. Springer.

—The reception to Newton people by the Women's Auxiliary, in the beautiful rooms of the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening, was successfully carried out. On all sides were decorations of ferns, smilax, and chrysanthemums. Introductions were in order until 8.15 o'clock, although the reception was really informal. Members of the auxiliary were conspicuous with their tasty bouquets of red and white ribbon. The Newton Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered sweet music during the evening. Mr. C. D. Kepner, the chairman of the reception committee was ably assisted by a dozen young men. At 8.20 all repaired to the commodious association hall to listen to Mr. H. M. Moore of Boston, one of the most prominent association workers in the world. He was introduced by President Tucker and greeted with applause. Briefly he outlined the remarkable growth of what he termed the greatest religious movement of the 19th century, but in such a manner as to clearly convey to the hearers an idea of the far-reaching power of this young men's organization. In closing he related several circumstances and incidents which illustrated what the association is doing for young men the world over. Mr. Merrick of New York rendered a vocal solo very acceptably, after which Physical Director Wyatt gave a demonstration of regular basketball class work as it is done by the boys in the gymnasium, and an exhibition of fancy torch swinging, which completely captured the audience. Again the guests assembled in the social parlors where light refreshments were served by young ladies from the various Newton churches. The tables were in charge of the following ladies: Grace Episcopal—Mrs. Moses Clark, Miss Ashenden, Miss Holmes and Miss Hunt; Eliot Congregational—Mrs. C. E. Eddy, Mrs. Hiram Barker, Miss Edith Eddy, Miss Barker and Miss Hall; Immanuel Baptist—Miss Ethel Harwood, Miss Mabel Hartley, Miss Moore, and Mrs. J. M. Nichols; Methodist—Mrs. Geo. W. Barber, Mrs. F. O. Barber, and Miss Bigelow. Mrs. J. H. Robinson and her social committee certainly ought to feel compliment-

ed, by such a large measure of success and pleasure.

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WABAN.

—Mr. N. E. Boscoe has returned after a week's absence.

—Mr. L. N. Young of Chicago is a guest of Mr. W. R. Dresser.

—Mr. Hovey's house on Plainfield street is nearly all boarded in and shingled.

—The painters are at work on Mr. T. E. Kipley's new house, Chestnut street.

—Mr. T. E. Nales' cellar for his house on Pine Ridge road is pretty well under way.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Pine Ridge road, are away visiting friends for a few weeks.

—The new electric lights which were turned on at the station, Thursday evening, greatly add to its appearance and are also greatly appreciated.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heymer's little son, Irving, reached his sixth birthday, Thursday, and gave a party to his numerous little friends in honor of the day.

—The land owned by the city at the junction of Beacon and Chestnut streets is being raised and graded, and when completed will be a beautiful little park.

—The musicale at Waban hall, last Friday evening, given by Miss Margaret Sever, was a great success. It was largely attended and those who took part proved themselves artists in their respective lines.

—Mr. A. H. Warren of Waban school covered himself with glory in the foot ball contest, last Saturday, between the N. A. A. and Brown University. He was one of the star players and made the most phenomenal play of the game.

PRESENTATION OF CHARTER.

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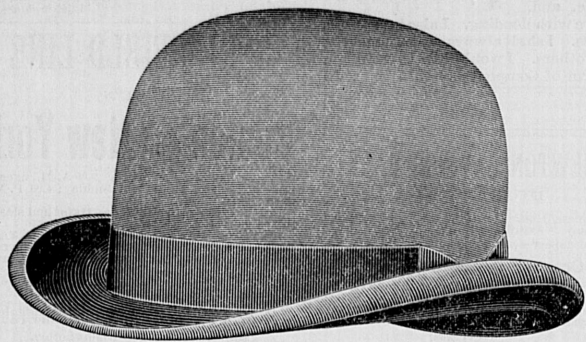
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—Mayor Cobb returned Saturday from his western trip.

—Developing and printing for amateurs done by E. E. Snyder.

—Miss L. B. Sloan of Pearl street is reported ill with typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Stevens of Galen street, who has been ill, is reported as improving.

—Mr. C. E. Eddy of Franklin street returned Saturday from a trip in the west.

—Sewing machine supplies, repairing and machines to let at 10 Pearl court.

—Mr. Harry Johnson has been confined to the house this week by a slight illness.

—Mrs. E. P. Tuttle of Franklin street is able to be out again after her recent severe illness.

—Rev. L. T. Townsend, D. D., will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

—Miss Bessie Hood of Cambridge has been visiting Miss Ida Barker of Park street this week.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church is to hold a bazaar in Y. M. C. A. hall, Dec. 14, 15 and 16.

—The first rehearsal of the recently organized young people's choir will be held Monday evening in Association hall.

—Miss Mary Childs of Richardson street has returned to Smith College after a brief visit at her home on Richardson street.

—Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich presided at the organ in Trinity church, Boston, Wednesday noon, at the Dudley-Hazeltine wedding.

—Miss Beresford of Boston has taken the Wellman house, corner of Centre and Vernon streets, formerly occupied by Mrs. Forester.

—The choir guild of Grace church will give an entertainment in the guild hall, next Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the benevolent fund.

—Mr. Henry P. Spaulding's water color exhibition in the gallery of the Boston Art Club, is being greatly admired by many of his Newton friends.

—Next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock the children of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a harvest concert. There will be special singing and recitations by the young people.

—Mr. Everett U. Crosby of Park street was re-elected secretary and manager of the Underwriters' Bureau of New England at the meeting of that company in Boston, Wednesday.

—Albert Le Fèvre of Nonantum was brought before Judge Blaney Thursday morning on complaint of Serg. Clay of division 2, for reckless driving on Watertown street. He was found guilty and was fined \$15.

—Rev. T. S. Sampson, formerly pastor of the Immanuel church, has resigned his pastorate in Portland, Me., after five years service at the Free Street Baptist church. His resignation will take effect Dec. 31.

—The funeral of Mrs. Cornelia Stevens True Smarden, wife of Mr. J. A. Smarden, was held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 from the house, Rev. Dr. Davis officiating. Monday the remains were taken to Portland, Me., for interment.

—Mrs. Mary A. Mullen, wife of Letter-Carrier Mullen, died Wednesday morning at her home on Wa. street. She was 38 years old and had resided in Newton for many years. The funeral was held this morning at the Church of Our Lady.

—The next lecture by Miss Perkins will be given at the residence of Mrs. C. H. Buswell, Franklin street. Subject, "Fra Angelico." These lectures are open to any interested persons. For further information inquire of Miss Trowbridge, Park street.

—A union Thanksgiving service will be held on Thursday morning at eleven o'clock in the new Methodist church. The sermon will be by Rev. William H. Davis, D. D., and the other pastors will participate in the exercises. Music will be furnished by the Methodist church quartet.

—Tuesday afternoon about 150 ladies of the Eliot church met in the church parlors to consider the practicability of consolidating the different branches of women's work in the parish. The meeting adjourned until next Tuesday when the special committee appointed will make its report in the matter.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Louis Adolph Corne, formerly of Newton, and Miss Adele Turton of New York City. The wedding takes place Dec. 14 in Ascension church, Buffalo. The music for the occasion will be taken from the compositions of the bridegroom, who has gained considerable renown as a composer.

—Last Friday evening in the chapel of Eliot church the annual election of officers was held which resulted in the choice of the following: George Agry, clerk; George Putnam, treasurer; D. E. Snow, auditor; A. B. Cobb, superintendent of Sunday school; Mrs. Burdon, superintendent of intermediate; Mrs. W. H. Davis, superintendent of primary; Mrs. Margaret Hall, superintendent of kindergarten. The election of deacon and counselor was postponed until a later date.

—Two weeks more is the limit now set for the laying of the rest of the four tracks through the depression. It is possible that the Centre street bridge will be left until another year, it is getting so late in the season. Washington street is expected to be all finished up this week, which will be welcome news to every one in the city. The approaches to the bridges are mostly completed, and this week work is being done on the Richardson street side of the bridge, which has been in bad condition.

Newton wont know itself when all these improvements are completed.

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—Mr. W. W. Jacques and family have returned to 4 Gloucester street, Boston.

—Fine French and hall clock repairing at W. A. Hodgdon's, French building, 28 if

fine houses on his land on Bellevue street.

—All razors and shears disinfected before shaving and hair cutting at Burns, Cole's block.

—The old hydrant and telephone pole in the middle of Nonantum square have been moved this week.

—Mr. Leon H. Vincent had the largest audience of the course at Eliot chapel, last evening, and gave a very interesting lecture on Victor Hugo. The next lecture will be upon Balzac.

—The Social Science Club is cordially invited to be present at a social given by the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs in Temple hall, Masonic building, Newtonville, on Thursday, Dec. 24, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

—The Boston Globe had an illustrated article, this morning, on the handsome bronze fountain Mr. C. Bowditch Coggeshall has given to the city, to be located at the corner of Washington and Adams streets. The fountain is to be surmounted by an electric lamp.

—For Saturday, Nov. 20th, 1897, for cash, fresh killed fowls, 12-14 and 15 cts. per pound; fresh killed chickens, 12 and 13 cts. per pound; fresh native spinach, 10 cts. per peck. We sell all kinds of meat at lowest cash prices, Corner Market, 324 Centre street.

—Wellington Howes, having assumed the management of the Newton Public Cash Market, takes this opportunity to announce to the citizens of Newton that he is prepared to give them the best of everything in the line of meats, fish, fruit, vegetables, canned goods, butter, etc. Give me a trial.

—Last evening in the Channing church parlors the Channing Club held a well-attended meeting. About fifty members and their guests were present. Refreshments were served at 6:30 o'clock after which the company adjourned to the lower parlors and listened to an address by President of Harvard on "The Modern Way of Getting at Truth."

—The selectmen of the town of Weston have refused the Newton street railway officials permission to construct their tracks on Central avenue, the principal thoroughfare of that town. Rather than taking any personal action in the matter and showing preferences, the selectmen held a hearing to get the feeling of the citizens. When a vote was taken it resulted three to one against granting the location. It is said that at least two or three selectmen favored the street railway's plan, but yielded to the wishes of the people. The petition will probably come up again next year.

—A wedding of unusual interest in Watertown, Wednesday evening, was that of Miss Fannie Maudie, daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Girrell Kidder of Mt. Auburn street, and Dr. Charles A. Davenport of this place which took place at the church of the Good Shepherd at 8. The ceremony was largely attended by the friends of the bride and groom from the Newtons and Watertown. Rev. E. A. Rand officiated, and was assisted by Rev. James C. Sharpe of Springfield. The bride was given away by her mother, Miss Louise Kidder, sister of the bride, was her principal attendant, and the best man was Mr. G. Wesley Priest of Watertown. The ushers were Messrs. Huntington Kidder and Howard Davenport of Cambridge, Henry M. Stegman and Thaddeus Reynolds Beal of New York, Alfred Davenport and C. Fred Fitz of Watertown. The bride was gown in white silk, with trimmings of white mousseline de soie. She wore the conventional long tulle veil and carried a bunch of bride roses. Miss Louise Kidder wore white or garden roses. The church was elaborately decorated with masses of white chrysanthemums. An informal reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport were assisted in receiving by Mrs. M. A. M. Davenport and Mrs. Rebecca G. Kidder. On their return from their wedding tour

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Special Bargain Sale.

Otis Bros. of Watertown have made a large purchase of cottons, prints, gingham, blankets, etc. from a wholesale house going out of business, and will give their customers the benefit of the bargain prices secured. Everything is a good deal less than regular prices. See adv.

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Removal.

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REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

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The Republican caucuses, last evening, were unusually well attended, in spite of the fact that there is no contest for mayor. All the delegates to the convention favor Mayor Cobb, and he will probably be renominated by acclamation. In Wards One and Five there were hot contests, and the largest attendance on record.

In Ward One there were a large number of candidates for aldermen, one faction favoring John T. Langford, and L. E. Coffin for alderman at large, another desiring Dr. D. Waldo Stearns, another in favor of Reuben Forknall, and John S. Potter, and Jesse C. Ivy were also candidates. Three hours of balloting followed, with debates between Messrs. Childs and Ivy and others, and there was a good deal of excitement, during the evening.

Finally, a split ticket was elected, divided between John T. Langford, Lewis E. Coffin and John S. Potter and Jesse C. Ivy will be carried into the convention.

The hottest contest was over the selection of an alderman from the ward at large. The candidates were Reuben Forknall and Dr. Waldo Stearns, both of the Nonantum district. Dr. Stearns was finally nominated, by a vote of 53 to 52. Rev. J. A. Hamilton is favored for one member of the school committee.

The only contest in Ward 2 was over the instruction of delegates in regard to the nomination of candidates for the school board. The feeling against Superintendent Aldrich of the school department was strongly in evidence, and resulted in the complete defeat of Mrs. Mary R. Martin, who has been one of the strongest supporters of Mr. Aldrich in the school board for several years.

The candidates were Mrs. Martin, Frank T. Benner and Charles F. Avery. The fight was entirely over Mrs. Martin. A petition was presented to the caucus asking for her renomination. Before the petition could be considered it mysteriously disappeared from the room. It was later alleged that more than half the names were those of people who had no children in the public schools. C. F. Avery was finally elected, and delegates favorable to Mr. Benner, as opposed to Mrs. Martin, were chosen by an overwhelming majority.

Delegates were instructed to vote for F. L. Nagle and E. D. Van Tassel for alderman at large. J. F. Lothrop was nominated for ward alderman.

But the great excitement of the evening was in Ward Five, where there was a great crowd present. The ward includes Waban, Upper Falls, Oak Hill, and Newton Highlands, and each section came to the caucus, desiring to have one of the aldermen. Then there was also a fight against Seward W. Jones, who has been called the leader of the ward, and the younger element renewed their attempt to defeat him and Alderman White suffered because he was supposed to be the Jones candidate. There were all sorts of combinations, but the Waban contingent proved able politicians than those from Oak Hill, and secured 186 votes for J. E. Heymer. Alderman White secured 145 votes, and the Oak Hill faction only got 145 for Frank J. Cooper. The delegation was instructed for Heymer and White for aldermen at large.

There was a fight over ward alderman, but Walter Chesley of Upper Falls secured 209 votes to 81 for Thomas Coughlan, both from Upper Falls.

A contest was expected in Wards Three and Four, but it did not come off. In Ward Four Mr. Geo. M. Fiske declined the nomination that had been tendered him by the preliminary caucus.

The preferences of the delegates for aldermen at large are as follows:

Ward 1, John T. Langford, J. S. Potter or Lewis E. Coffin; 2, F. L. Nagle, E. D. Van Tassel; 3, H. L. Whittelsey, George D. Davis; 4, W. M. Elliott, the F. L. Nagle; 5, J. E. Heymer, Thomas White; 6, Henry Bailey, A. E. Alvord; 7, J. M. Niles, W. R. Dana.

The results:

Ward 1—Chairman, F. W. Stone; J. W. Fisher sec. ward alderman for one year, D. W. Stearns; delegates, E. R. Utley, W. R. Brackett, Reuben Forknall, E. O. Childs and E. P. Seales.

Ward 2—Chairman, H. A. Boynton; C. D. Claot sec. ward alderman for one year, John F. Lothrop; delegates, N. H. Chadwick, Wm. Price, J. A. Fenno, E. W. Bailey and W. W. Palmer.

Ward 3—Chairman, W. E. Sheldon; C. R. Fisher sec. ward alderman for one year, B. F. Shattuck; delegates, W. B. H. Dowse, G. H. Ingraham, B. S. Hatch, G. P. Bullard and J. H. Nickerson.

Ward 4—Chairman, C. S. Ober; A. W. Kelly sec. ward alderman for one year, W. F. Hadlock; delegates, E. E. Hardy, A. B. Hayden, G. H. Bourne, G. D. Harvey and H. G. Hildreth.

Ward 5—Chairman, Elliott J. Hyde; C. J. Wardwell sec. ward alderman for one year, Walter B. Chesley; delegates, A. F. Hayward, J. F. Heckman, F. J. Hale, L. P. Everett and B. S. Cloutman.

Ward 6—Chairman, Adam D. Claffin; C. E. Kelsey sec. ward alderman for one year, James A. Lowell; delegates, Robert H. Gardiner, Edward H. Haskell, George S. Smith, W. M. Flanders and E. T. Colburn.

Ward 7—Chairman, Gorham D. Gilman; A. R. Weed sec. ward alderman for one year, Kirk W. Hobart; delegates, G. D. Gilman, F. W. Gaffield, G. M. Weed, D. S. Emery and E. P. Tuttle.

Dartmouth vs Newton.

The game between the Dartmouth foot ball team and the team of the Newton Club, which will take place at Cedar street grounds on Thanksgiving day at 10:30 in the morning, is creating considerable interest.

It will be the only foot ball match of importance in or about Boston on that day.

The Dartmouth team has developed great strength of late winning from Amherst on Saturday, last, 54 to 0, and may fairly be said to be next to the "Big Four" in college foot ball. They will be in the pink of condition when they meet the Newton Club team, and ought to play a fast game.

On the other hand, the Newton boys have greatly strengthened their team of late, and are already getting into good shape for this game. The Newton team ought to be even stronger than when they played Yale when they were defeated by a small score of 10 to 6. Draper and Corbett will play at halves, Fitzgerald or Reggy Brown at full back and Warren at quarter. Last year the Thanksgiving game between Dartmouth and the Newton Club resulted in victory for Dartmouth by a score of 12 to 6. Newton this year will attempt to redeem herself by winning the match.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

UPPER BOARD HELD SPECIAL SESSION MONDAY EVENING—REFUSE TO CONCUR WITH COUNCIL ON AMENDMENT TO ORDER—SEVERAL IMPORTANT APPROPRIATIONS MADE, INCLUDING \$78,800 FOR DECEMBER EXPENSES—PLAN OF ALDERMAN ALLEN TO BEAUTIFY ALL LAND BETWEEN WASHINGTON STREET AND THE B. & A. TRACKS IN WARDS 1, 2 AND 3 UNDER THE PARK SYSTEM.

The board of aldermen spent 50 minutes in special session Monday evening, and during that time transacted routine business of more than ordinary importance. When Mayor Cobb called the board to order at 8 o'clock Aldermen Downs and Knowlton were absent.

HEARINGS.

Hearings were opened on the gas company's petition for locations on Newbury street, and of the telephone company for permission to make attachments on Grant avenue near Beacon street. As no one appeared to be heard the hearings were closed.

The reading of the journal was dispensed with on motion of Alderman Hobart.

REFUSED TO CONCUR.

The order from the board, appropriating \$1000 for settlement of claims for land damages on Appleton street, Newtonville, with Louise Chapman, was received from the common council with an amendment providing for the appointment of a special committee to further consider the matter, with a view of allowing it to remain as the city engineer had laid out the line.

Alderman White spoke in opposition to this. We have, he said, spent a great deal of time considering this matter, and feel we have settled it fairly. Every member of the highway committee voted for it. This is getting too severe, having the council send back everything in nonconsequence.

The vote was taken and the members voted unanimously to non-concur.

PETITIONS.

Several petitions for the apportionment of betterment assessments on account of laying out of Commonwealth avenue were received and granted.

R. C. Taylor asked permission to construct a private telephone wire from Nonantum to Beacon block, Newton. Referred to the inspector of wires.

Waban residents petitioned for the construction of a board walk on Woodward street.

Susan Rollins petitioned for right to remove building from Fuller to Hicks street. Referred to the inspector of wires.

I. H. Patten and 13 others asked that an area lamp be placed at the junction of California and Crafts street. Street light committee.

John A. Potter was appointed an auctioneer.

Levi Cooley and others petitioned for an area light at the corner of Central and Prescott streets, Newtonville, and were referred to the street light committee.

The telephone company asked permission to locate poles and wires on different parts of Beacon and Washington streets. A hearing was ordered for Nov. 22.

The street light committee reported on the petitions for street lights on Erie avenue and Hicks street and it was voted to grant petitions for lights on Erie avenue.

The highway committee recommended the granting of the petitions asking for concrete crossings on Felton and Walnut streets, sidewalk on Griffin avenue and gutters on Cypress street.

Notice of the city election, Dec. 7, was read, and officially ordered.

The mayor was authorized to accept a quit-claim deed from Susan Rawson for 6000 square feet of land taken for the widening of Park and Tremont streets.

ORDERS.

On recommendation of the street light committee it was voted to place street lights on Ohio avenue, Grant avenue, Hyde street and Suffolk road.

\$1145 was appropriated to reimburse the city engineer's department for expense incurred in connection with the numbering of streets.

It was voted to construct concrete sidewalks on Griffin avenue, crosswalks on Felton and Walnut streets, and gutters on Cypress street.

\$741 was appropriated for sewer assessment on account of construction of sewer under B. & A. tracks at Bellevue street.

The poor department was authorized to draw on the city treasury for the care of out-of-town patients sent to Newton hospital, who are to be paid for eventually by the state or other municipalities.

The following appropriations were increased: State aid \$150; assessors \$1000; soldiers' relief \$200; indigent soldiers and sailors \$50. Total \$2000.

The gas company was granted locations for four poles on west side of Newbury street.

Alderman Allen introduced an order, which was referred to the park committee, providing for the laying out and beautifying of all the vacant land between the Boston & Albany tracks and Washington street from West Newton to Newton into parks.

On recommendation of the finance committee \$78,800 was appropriated to defray the December expenses.

At 8:50 o'clock the board adjourned on motion of Alderman Roberts.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich smell of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate of flavors. It receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 25c and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

A Natural Born Politician.

Visitor at Chicago—That young man you have in your office looks like a mighty smart, shrewd young fellow. Chicago broker—Smart! The smartest young chap I ever got hold of. Why, he stole \$5000 from me right under my nose. I tell you, he has the making of a great financier in him.—New York Weekly.

How to Cure Bilious Colic.

I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genest, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

See a bottle of this and smoke your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. \$1. All druggists.

IMPROVEMENTS AT CITY HALL.

A REARRANGEMENT OF THE OFFICES AND NEW COURT ROOM.

The improvements at City Hall have begun, and work on the new chamber for the board of aldermen is being pushed rapidly to have everything ready by the first of the year. The changes are decided improvements and the moving of the council chamber to the upper hall, and the police business and court room to the Peirce school building will allow of a more convenient arrangement of the offices, and give added room that is very much needed.

Mayor Cobb has taken personal charge of the work and will see that the changes are made as economically as is consistent with good work. The upper hall is to have a good sized passage way, with large committee rooms on either side, and the main council chamber at the end. It will have the same height as the present hall and be some 40 feet square, with a space for visitors and also a gallery above, so that some 150 people can be accommodated, which is all that are likely to attend any hearing. The stage has been taken away and one of the rear rooms will be used for a coat room and the other for a lavatory. A small stairway will lead directly to the city clerk's office, for convenience when books or documents are wanted. The height of the walls will give better ventilation than the old council chambers. Above the committee rooms in front will be the drafting rooms for the city engineer's office, with a view of the city and other much needed facilities for their work.

On the first floor of the building, there will be some rearrangement. The assessors' rooms will be moved to the old council chamber, the aldermen's room will be divided into the mayor's office, and a waiting room for those who wish to see him, instead of as now having to wait in the hall if he is busy. The waiting room will also have a desk for the mayor's private secretary or clerk. The city clerk will add the present mayor's office to his office, and the auditor will have the assessors' room and the room now used by the superintendent of streets. The basement will be the street commissioner's office, the superintendent of buildings, the board of health, the overseers of the poor, the city engineer's office, and other offices.

The old ventilating pipes, which have disfigured the building and proved such a total failure are to be removed. The heating is to be by steam, instead of by furnaces, and the hall will be lighted entirely by electricity by the city's own plant. Instead of the eleven furnaces used in City Hall and in the Peirce building, a steam plant will be put up in a separate building, and the entire cost of the electric and heating plant will not be more than it now costs to heat and light the City Hall for a year. This will also remove all danger from fire from the City Hall building.

The Peirce school building will contain the regular police rooms on the first floor, the lock-up will be fitted with steel cells, and there will be a reading room for the policemen. The court room, judge's room, clerk's and counsel room will be on the second floor. In the third story will be sleeping rooms for the unmarried patrolmen, and bath rooms, also a matron's room, and a room for female prisoners.

In the basement will be padded cells for noisy persons, and a gymnasium for the use of the policemen.

The total cost of the improvements in both buildings will not be over \$150,000, probably not less than \$120,000, and as the county will allow \$2,000 for rent of the new court room this will more than pay the interest on the expenditure. These improvements will give ample accommodations for the next dozen years, and obviate the necessity for a new City Hall and Court House, for at least that length of time.

A Tour Through California.

The first tour of the season through California under the Personally-Conducted Tourist System of the Pennsylvania Railroad will leave Boston, January 7, 1898. Among the points of interest visited will be Omaha, Denver, Colorado Springs, Manitou and the Garden of the Gods, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, San Jose, Monterey, Santa Cruz, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside, San Diego, Tucson, El Paso, and St. Louis. Rate, including all necessary expenses during entire time abode, \$340, from Boston. Descriptive literature can be obtained from D. N. Bell, Tourist Agent, 205 Washington Street, Boston.

Loose Screws and Empty Houses.

To the Editor of the Graphic:—

I read with considerable interest the communication printed in a recent issue over the signature "G. H. L." The question he asks is one that has puzzled me not a little since I became a resident of Newton, which is not very long, but long enough to satisfy myself that there is a screw loose somewhere. Now every machinist knows that when a screw in his machine gets loose, be it ever so small, it is only a question of time when, if not looked after, not only will his machine suffer, but the work done on it will likewise deteriorate in quality. It is no less true of municipal machinery that when once screws begin to get loose, the results will most surely be bad as well as far-reaching. It has been a part of my life experience to watch, and in a degree to participate in the growth and development of a municipality not far removed from Newton, which during my thirty years residence in it I saw changed from a one-horse town of less than 10,000 people into a thriving, busy city of more than 50,000. The growth and prosperity of that city are largely due to a liberal expenditure for public improvements, not always timely or judicious, perhaps, but which were brought about in the face of bitter opposition from the so-called conservative element, which could tolerate nothing that was new and believed in nothing that was not old; doubtless there are many people in Newton who will appreciate my point which I may enlarge upon it some future time. Valuable lessons are to be learned from past experiences. So if the suggestions I may offer should seem to be a trifle radical, let it be understood that they are based on something besides mere theory.

"Why so many vacant houses?" asks G. H. L. He answers truly when he says that rents are too high for the class of people who would, if they could, gladly rent them. He might have truthfully added that too many houses of the class which remain vacant are being built and too few of a less expensive class. The great mass is composed of middle class interest people, few of whom are in the receipt of incomes that warrant them in paying even \$500 for house rent. To this class, the great proportion of whom would intelligently appreciate the beauties of Newton, the city proffers no invitation to come and make a home within its borders, as so many other places as close to the metropolis as Newton are constantly doing. The impression has gone abroad and is steadily fostered by a certain class, that only the "better" class are wanted here. With this idea in view all the most eligible building land is being rapidly absorbed by syndicates whose sole object is to make a profit out of it. They offer by raising the price of this land, so that none but those who are well-to-do, or I may say who possess incomes wholly independent of business considerations, can afford to purchase and erect dwellings upon such land. And those same syndicates take pains to let it be known that none but high class houses can find lodgment in that neighborhood. This is their interest. That I am not disputing; but is it for the interests of the city of Newton and is it calculated in the long run to promote its welfare? Is it this process of forcing upwards the price of eligible building land and dwellings that leads G. H. L. to say that Newton is "growing wealthy"? If so, I should feel obliged to disagree with him. Is it not rather an answer to his query, "why so many vacant houses?" Has he not heard that warning voice—"I'll fairs the land, to gathering ill a prey, where wealth accumulates and men decay."

The social question, which your correspondent touches upon, is a delicate one, and I notice that he handles it skillfully, not to say gingerly. He is undoubtedly right about the "real lady," etcetera. But I differ in opinion as to who constitutes a lady, whether it be fine clothes and a carriage or something else. In the columns of a daily paper which comes to me from a manufacturing city not far away I frequently notice advertisements announcing that a "fore-lady," or a sales-lady," or some other kind of a lady is wanted, or else wants a situation. It is certainly true that new-fangled ladies will despise any one, however humble or poor, whether obliged to work for themselves or others; but custom has created distinctions and nothing will ever wipe them out. It has often and truly been said that one might as well be out of the world as out of society, and the opinion is widely entertained, whether correctly or not I cannot say, that he or she who cannot afford to belong to one of the numerous clubs or organizations of different kinds cannot be expected to enjoy life to any great extent in Newton. I might quote more than one instance that has come within the range of my personal knowledge tending to show that the results which grow out of this sort of thing. Much might be said upon this point with a view to answering G. H. L.'s query, why so many vacant houses in Newton?

There are other reasons why so many dwellings are vacant which I should like to speak of, Mr. Editor, at some future time, with your consent. My past experience leads me to think they have an important bearing upon the future growth and prosperity of Newton. But I must pass them for the present.

There is, however, one matter which I think should be spoken of at the present time, and has already been brought to public attention through the columns of another of our local newspapers. I allude to what has been called the dark-lantern policy which seems to be pursued at City Hall. Mind that I say seems, for I would not willingly charge any public official or number of officials with having by malice aforethought withheld from the people any information which of right belongs to them. We all know that the city has been spending large sums of money for public improvements during the past year or two. But how large or how small these expenditures have been, how wisely or unwisely made, the people at large have no knowledge nor any apparent means of obtaining it. Consequently they are inclined to blame the powers that be, whether rightly or not I have no present means of knowing, for withholding information from the people which of right belongs to the people, and which the authorities placed in power by the people should be most of all anxious to place before them. It may be said that we should look to the press for the desired knowledge. We have looked, but in vain. Whether it is because the busy news gatherers are so completely engaged in picking up and printing society gossip and social little-tattle, or whether they have found obstacles in the way of getting at these weightier matters, that vitally affect the material interests of the whole city, I cannot say. But it seems to me that the officials, by the silencing the people's queries should take pains as well as pleasure in placing before the people a plain and succinct statement of what has been done, and is being done in the way of public improvements, what they have cost, and are likely to cost, how much and to whom land damages have been or are to be paid and what is to be the probable end of it all.

The annual city election is near at hand and now is the time when such information is wanted and should be given. Must we wait for the inaugural of the new Mayor, whoever he may be, before we get it, suppose we get it more promptly, and at a lower cost? Nor should the overworked reporters for the press be required to pump it out of unwilling officials whose manner, at any rate, would lead one to infer that they would rather than tell the truth.

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Let it be a reform of this kind at City Hall would have a good effect all round, making everybody happier by removing that feeling of doubt and suspicion that is just now resting so heavily upon the public mind and, I think, I think it would help solve the problem propounded by G. H. L., for loose screws in public affairs are eminently productive of vacant houses wherever they are allowed to exist.

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A TALK WITH MRS. PINKHAM

About the Cause of Anemia.

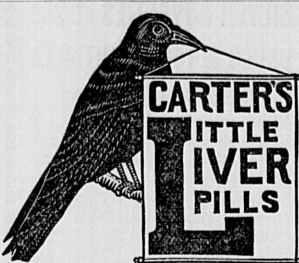
Everybody comes into this world with a predisposition to disease of some particular tissue; in other words, everybody has a weak spot. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred the weak spot in women is somewhere in the uterine system. The uterine organs have less resistance to disease than the vital organs; that's why they give out the soonest. Not more than one woman in a hundred—ay, in five hundred—has perfectly healthy organs of generation. This points to the stern necessity of helping one's self just as soon as the life powers seem to be on the wane.

Excessive menstruation is a sign of physical weakness and want of tone in the uterine organs. It saps the strength away and produces anemia (blood turns to water). If you become anemic, there is no knowing what will happen. If your gums and the inside of your lips and inside your eyelids look pale in color, you are in a dangerous way and must stop that drain on your powers. Why not build up on a generous, uplifting tonic, like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

Mrs. Edwin Emme, 413 Church St., Bethlehem, Pa., says: "I feel it my duty to write and tell you that I am better than I have been for four years. I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one package of Sanative Wash, one box of Liver Pills, and can say that I am perfectly cured. 'Doctors did not help me any. I should have been in my grave by this time if it had not been for your medicine. It was a godsend to me. I was troubled with excessive menstruation, which caused womb trouble, and I was obliged to remain in bed for six weeks. Mrs. Pinkham's medicine was recommended to me, and, after using it a short time, was troubled no more with flooding. I also had severe pain in my kidneys. This, also, I have no more. I shall always recommend the Compound, for it has cured me, and it will cure others. I would like to have you publish this letter.' (In such cases the dry form of Compound should be used.)

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TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

THE NEWTON Y. M. C. A. WAS THE THEME IN EIGHTEEN CHURCHES LAST SUNDAY.

Appreciative words and generous financial support came from most of the churches of Newton last Sunday morning, for the local Young Men's Christian Association. Sermons to young men in which the practical work of the Y. M. C. A. was emphasized were preached from many pulpits, and the response to the appeals for money to prosecute this work was hearty; about \$1300 having already been reported.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock a mass meeting was held in the Association's Hall, attended by 400 people. President F. H. Tucker presided. Rev. Geo. E. Merrill D. D., invoked Divine blessing upon the service. Rev. Geo. W. Shinn, D. D., read the Scripture lesson, and Rev. C. E. Holmes offered prayer. The vested choir from Grace Episcopal church rendered several impressive anthems which contributed greatly to the success of the exercises. President Tucker read the following interesting report of the past year's work:

PRESIDENT TUCKER'S REPORT.

Another year has passed and again we meet to celebrate our anniversary. We feel thankful to our Heavenly Father for the many blessings which we have received and take pleasure in recounting them to you, in this our annual report.

One year ago we entered these new rooms, situated opposite Nonantum square, which has since become the center of the electric traffic of our city. With more young men upon our streets than Newton had ever seen before, we felt that great responsibility rested on our association. Feeling that man's spiritual needs are of the first importance, we put forth special efforts to supply these. Our Sunday afternoon meetings were held in the most interesting and helpful as possible; a very earnest leader for our Bible class was secured in the person of Mr. S. R. Vinton of Newton Theological Seminary, and the study of the life of Christ was taken up with a class of ten young men. It soon became apparent to our board of directors that there was need for more work along spiritual lines, and after careful consultation with the pastors it was decided to hold special meetings in our hall. Through Dr. Merrill of Immanuel Baptist church, we secured the services of Dr. Edward Judson of the Judson Memorial church, New York City, who labored with us the first two weeks in February. He was followed by his assistant, Dr. Haynes, who remained with us for five days. Mrs. Nellie Bakeman Donovan, gospel singer, aided in the work.

These meetings were of great interest, with rare skill by Dr. Judson, and no one who attended them will ever forget the gracious way in which God's truth was brought home to our hearts. Many a Christian was warned to a newness of life, and many others were led to give their hearts and lives to the Master's service. Some of our most earnest workers today are those who first learned to know Christ while Dr. Judson was with us.

All of the churches in this ward were deeply stirred by his preaching, and all received a rich blessing. But great as the good accomplished seemed to us, the real value of the work is known only to those who know all things. Since the Judson meetings, our regular Sunday afternoon meetings, for boys at 3 o'clock, and for men at 4 o'clock, have been marked by real spiritual life. During the summer the meetings were small, but were very helpful to those who attended them. Our religious meetings for the year have been as follows: 50 meetings for men only, average attendance, 40; 42 meetings for boys, average attendance 35; 19 meetings for both sexes, average attendance 200. I have given you thus briefly what appears as our religious work, but the real work done is not one but God can estimate. We know that there have come into our rooms during the past year, men who were physical and moral wrecks; through the influence of this association they are now respected members of the community. We know others who have been under terrible temptations, who have through the influence of young men in these rooms, been kept in the right way. We know that the most active young men in our churches today are those who have had their hearts kindled at our meetings. We know that Newton is a brighter, better place for young men than it was before the existence of our association.

Our work is like the work of the church and the Christian home, it is impossible to measure the good it does, for the atmosphere it creates around it is after all more important than anything which can be expressed by facts and figures. Character building is our highest aim, and this is accomplished best by personal work, of which we can give no estimate.

Our educational work has consisted of classes in vocal music, shorthand, lectures on natural history, and our young men's congress. The latter has perhaps proved the most successful feature of this branch of our work. The congressmen take great interest in their debates, and their meetings conducted in same manner as those of the national house of representatives prove not only interesting but very instructive. The third session of the congress has just begun, and the interest taken in it promises a successful session. All young men are cordially invited to join. Several public debates have been held during the year with good attendance. The first for this winter occurs next Wednesday evening, and you are all cordially invited to be present to see what our young men are doing.

OUR PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT.

Realizing that a healthy mind can only do its best work in a healthy body, the Young Men's Christian Association of today, rightly as I believe, devotes much attention to the physical man. For this work we are splendidly equipped, having one of the best gymnasiums in the state, large, airy, and well fitted with apparatus, and bath appliances, all under the care of a carefully trained man.

Last June our physical director, Mr. A. B. Smith, resigned, and during July and August our gymnasium was closed with the exception of two afternoons and two evenings of each week. Realizing this fall that general financial conditions demanded economy in all possible directions, we determined to secure a physical director who would give only part of his time to us, and thus save the association much expense. We were able to secure under these conditions an excellent man, Mr. E. C. Wyatt, who gives three afternoons and three evenings each week to class work, doing practically the same work as last season. Each member on joining a gymnasium class receives a careful physical examination and special work is prescribed where necessary. Body building is our aim, to turn out strong, healthy men and boys, and not prize winning athletes, is what we are working for. In these days of athletic craze too much care cannot be taken of our boys to see that they do not over exercise, and also to train their athletic minds aright, that they may realize that "there is a bodily exercise which profiteth nothing."

That the physical department is appreciated is proved by the following average attendance for the year: Boys' classes 42; business men 22; evening 26.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

Not the least important branch of our work is the Women's Auxiliary, without them we could not exist. Our tastefully furnished rooms, our beautiful piano, the rapidly growing library, the pictures on our walls, all these and many other things speak to us eloquently of the love and de-

votion of the ladies. During the year they have given three receptions to our young men and have held one bazaar in our hall. In the summer months they kept our rooms fragrant with beautiful flowers. They also have the use of our hall for two mornings and one afternoon a week. At these times classes are held for ladies and children under the charge of Miss Macomber, a trained physical director. These classes are much appreciated by many ladies.

The work of our general secretary, Mr. Pitt F. Parker, is too well known to need comment from me. He is earnest and faithful, and has this year more than proved himself the friend of every young man in Newton. We have considered ourselves fortunate in having our work under the general direction of one who is in many ways so well fitted for the work. He is so consecrated in his desire to work for the Master. Our success is largely due to his efforts.

RESULTS.

After what has been said the question will naturally arise in your minds how is this work appreciated by our young men and boys. In reply I would say in addition to the figures already mentioned, that the average daily attendance in our rooms for the year has been 75. During the summer in July and Aug., when our rooms were in charge of Mr. Hartop, and open only two afternoons and evenings a week, 596 men and boys visited the associations.

Our membership has largely increased during the year. We have now a total membership of 350 seniors and 74 juniors, total 424. Last year we reported at our annual meetings 264 seniors and 49 juniors total, 313, not gain 111. These figures should be much increased soon as many memberships expired Nov. 1st, and many of these will doubtless soon renew.

This shows in addition to what has already been said that our association is a second home to many young men. What it means to a young man living in a large boarding house to have these pleasant reading and game rooms open to him, no one who has not been such a young man can appreciate, those of us who have, can.

We regret that we have lost the services of Mr. Geo. B. Hartop, who has so faithfully served us as junior for nearly three years. His faithful Christian character having been an inspiration to many of our young men. He is still with us as a member and though obliged to accept a position with shorter hours of service, his interests and heart are as much as ever in our work.

Before closing my report and calling for that of our general secretary, I wish to say a word regarding our field, and our needs. During the twenty years since this organization was formed, Newton has passed through many changes, but never in a single year, has so much been done to alter, not only outside appearances, but to change social conditions, as during the last twelve months.

From a quiet country suburb of Boston we have changed into a busy city of shops and electric cars. These latter seem destined to unite our divided city into one great whole, with the centre of business in this ward. The fact that one five-cent fare brings to us young men from all parts of our city, opens to all the advantages of our rooms, ours being the only place in Newton. The electric car is a boon to those in other wards, who wish for physical culture such as we can offer.

These changed conditions bring with them great opportunities and great responsibilities. We are twenty years old today. A young man at 20 looks on life as all before him, he is just ready to begin his life work. What is true of one young man, is true of us as a body of young men. During 20 years the foundations of this association have been laid, how well laid, these rooms and our report testify. The great work of the Newton Young Men's Christian Association lies ahead and not behind us. Never before were the needs so great, never were temptations for young men so numerous as today; especially is this true of Newton. The same electric car that brings young men to us, will take our young men from home as readily. Never were we so well equipped as now to do the work which an association such as this stands for. Shall we do this work as it should be done remains for you to say.

Institutional churches are the demand of the hour. We are the institutional, the every day church of Newton. We are working for every church in our city, and are thankful to say that nearly every church in the city is working for us. Today eighteen pastors have preached to young men at our request, and in many of these churches a collection will be taken for our work. Our needs to carry on this work successfully are, first of all your sympathy and prayers, next your financial support. The last year has been an expensive one owing to the moving into and furnishing of our new rooms; consequently we find ourselves somewhat in debt. This coming year we shall considerably reduce our running expenses, and we hope to raise enough money to pay these, and reduce to a possible part of our indebtedness. Those who have not already contributed today will be given an opportunity later in this service.

Father and mothers, will you not help us work for your boys, not only today, but all through the year; join some of our departments if you can, and you will feel with us that it is more blessed to give than to receive. Those who think there is no need for an association in Newton I have only one more word; read call from boys.

Remarks were made by General Secretary, Mr. F. W. Gaffield, of Melrose, was introduced as the principal speaker of the day. Mr. Shumway said in part:

I want to congratulate you on the progress you have made here in Newton in the last twenty-five years; on your splendid churches, your abundant schools, your fine hospital. I want to congratulate you men who have made Newton what it is, and the Association what it is; and you women, too, for a man is not half a man until he is married and has a wife in his home. An association is never half an association until it has a Woman's Auxiliary. I tell you of the associations in Massachusetts where the men got discouraged and would have given up if it had not been for the Woman's Auxiliary. I want to congratulate you on the location of your building. It is in the strategic centre of Newton, and you seem to be in the very best building you could have.

But it is not fine buildings or houses that make a nation, it is fine men and women who make a nation. If we are to have a fine man and woman, we must have a fine character. I begin to realize that the skating rink becomes larger on the top of my head, what it is to be an American citizen. It is the grandest thing in the world to be an American citizen, and no where else in the world can a man be so much of a man, or a woman so much of a woman. The whole world is looking at us to see what we are going to do, and if we fail the world is going to be wiser and we are going to be God is going to be helped. The defect today is not in politics. Our country is what we make it, and we can help the world if our aims are righteous. What we want is imperial men, men who will stand like the old guard stood when they were cornered and asked to surrender and said: "The Guard can die, it never surrenders." We want men like Henry Clay, who when he asked to be president and was told he must do certain things to conciliate those opposed to him, which were deemed expedient but were not right, said "No, I had rather be right than be president." This is the material which you and I want to put into our boys, so that they will make men who stand for

something. We have too many men and women in this world who are like the sick cats who have to lean against the wall when they want to breathe.

As I came down Washington street this afternoon I saw on a poster "Game ended; No score." There is many a man's life ending in Massachusetts and in Newton, against whom must be written "Game ended. No score." It is because you and I, members of these churches have not done what we should, that "no score" is written against that gentleman.

I met a gentleman the other day who was looking for a competent young man to fill a position in one of the leading trades in Boston, and he said to me, "I can't find one. The good men are all employed." There are too many Barney Barnatoes, who grab at the diamonds and then jump into the sea, and too few William E. Gladstones, who are living worthy and useful lives. You have got to have the solid foundation of character. You can paint over wood and make it look like brick and stone, but the first rain that comes will wash it away. The other day a man was brought up for stealing half a million of dollars and was asked why he did it. He said, "I was too hasty to get rich." Another held for a crime said, "I had too much club and not enough church." Another went out too much with the boys, and another said it was too much cigarette smoking, and the first cigarette starting him by a friend, the State Prison over him. In the Massachusetts Reformatory there are 753 young men, not gray-haired old sinners, and let me tell you that during the past eight years 5570 young men of the average age of less than twenty-one years have been sent there. Think of that, you who are fathers and mothers. When we look at them and the sad words that ever were said, "It might have been."

I never yet found a boy who intended to be mean. At the Union Station you can see two curs, one on each side, so near that you can touch them both with your hands at the same time, but one is bound for Bangor and the other for Portland, Oregon. The width of a continent separates them, but only a little bar of iron, no bigger than your finger, that changes their course.

I am not pessimistic, and I believe in the future of our young men and of our country, and I believe in the power of the Christian Association. I am not a pessimist, I am a realist. I am lifted up I will draw all men up to me." And God said, "My word will not return to me void." You can arbitrate, you can legislate, you can pile up your laws, and hearts are as much as ever in our work, and that is the Lord Jesus Christ.

Put some of that life into a man and there is going to be right living. The Y. M. C. A. is doing this work. Show me ten men prominent in any line of business in the country today and I will show you ten men who are interested in the Y. M. C. A., and give liberally towards its support. There is Philip Armour giving \$20,000 a year, and Wm. Rockefeller giving \$50,000, and sometimes \$50,000, Rockefeller, and Farley and many others, who are giving hundreds of thousands of dollars for the work. It is because they approve of this work, and they want to see it carried out, that the railroads of the country are contributors, because they find it pays them in dollars and cents. President Clark, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, gave \$100,000 for the building of the new building in New Haven, but results fully justify the expenditure. There is no doubt about its being a business institution which pays, and if your Newton Association is not a success the fault is with your association and not with you. Forty-two different institutions in this country are today contributors to the Y. M. C. A., and the Newton Association is one of them.

You people say to me that Newton is a fine city and there is very little wrong done here. I want to ask you what is the matter with those 1047 men who were arrested in Newton last year? I don't want to hear about it, but the prison commissioners say they have got them. How about those men from Newton that I found in the reformatory and in state prisons? They are there and this is Newton, and it is something wrong somewhere. How about those thirty eight men I found loafing around the depot today? How about those that came out on the 11-30 train from Boston last night and had to be held every day? Some woman cried in Newton last night because Johnnie got off the train in the shape he did. Don't feel that Newton, or any other city, is so good that there are no bad things in it. I don't want to hear about it, but the prison commissioners say they have got them. How about those men from Newton that I found in the reformatory and in state prisons? 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THE CAUCUSES.

Judging from the caucuses last evening, every one is a Republican this year, as all shades of party men were represented, and there is a healthy interest in city affairs, judging from the attendance.

Wards One, Two, and Five were the storm centres, and had rather exciting times, which added to the interest of life to those wards. Probably there will be nomination papers in favor of some of the defeated candidates, but that is as it should be, as some contest will be necessary to get the voters out to the polls.

In Ward One the delegation is divided, between Messrs. John T. Langford, Lewis E. Coffin, and John S. Potter, and it was a rather decided victory for Mr. Langford, as he refused to enter any combination or make any pledges, and also did not ask any one to vote for him. As Mr. Langford was one of the men most interested in drawing up the new charter, and some one will be needed in the new board to explain its provisions, he should be nominated by the convention, and probably will be. The other contests in the ward are purely local ones, and are not of so much general importance.

Ward Two has not forgotten its fight with the school committee of last year, and it was carried into the caucus, but the nominees seem to be excellent men, and if elected, they will do good service.

It is regretted that ex-Alderman Fiske could not accept the nomination tendered him, as he would have been of great value to the city in the new board.

In Ward Five, the Waban people carried the day over Oak Hill, and secured Mr. Heymer, and the opposition to Alderman White was not so much against him, as it was an effort among the younger men to demonstrate their independence, but they were defeated and Alderman White will return to the board.

In Ward Six there is never any contest, as the caucus always carries out the plans laid down, and the same was true of Ward Seven.

There will be no contest over the mayor, as all are in favor of Mayor Cobb, but there will probably be enough nomination papers taken out for aldermen and school committee to make things interesting.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

As next Sunday has been regularly set apart by the city churches for the contributions for the Hospital, all who attend church should bear it in mind. The Hospital has never had so many calls upon it, as during the past year, and a great part of the time its resources have been taxed to the utmost, to provide for those who needed its care. The hard times have been felt especially by the poor, and at such times disease is more prevalent, and the poor are less able to care for themselves, and such institutions as the Newton Hospital find the demands upon them greatly increased.

Fortunately we have the Hospital, and it has generous friends who see that it is supplied with the means for doing good. Money given to it will be carefully used, and it is a kind of mission work that has immediate practical results.

Those who do not attend church can send their contributions to any of the trustees, or to Mr. Geo. S. Bullens, treasurer, and it will be gratefully received.

The churches in Newton and West Newton have always been the most liberal contributors, but this year it is hoped that the wealthy churches in other wards will take a more lively interest, and help to make the total one that will be a credit to the city.

The plan for using what vacant land there is left between Washington street and the railroad for little parks is a good one in many respects, when the land is too small for any other disposition of it. The street is and will always be rather bare on that side, but it is mainly a business street and not for ornamental purposes. There are certain lots, however, which are too small for any useful park, but are large enough for residences or business purposes, and where these join on to land that is used for such purposes, it would seem to be rather extravagant not to dispose of them, especially as these lots are of great value, judging from the price the city paid for them. It is impossible to expect to make Washington street vie with Commonwealth avenue, from the very nature of things, and any great amount of ornamentation would only call attention to the lack in the other sections of the street. It is a business thoroughfare and as such it must be treated. About all that can be expected from a street in such a location is that it shall be wide enough for the traffic, and that the roadbed shall be kept in good condition. People who drive for pleasure or to see the beauties of Newton will al-

ways take some other street, away from the railroad and the electric cars, and Washington street will be left for those who want the shortest route between two points. It is a useful but can never be made a beautiful street, and any money expended to that end had much better be spent for something else.

THERE is a great demand for a new street from Centre place to Richardson street, as it would save a good deal of time for those coming from that direction to the station or to the stores. It would not be a very expensive matter, and those interested say it would accommodate many more people than the extension of Temple street, West Newton, which the residents petitioned the city to appropriate money for. Residents of Hunnewell terrace also desire to have the two ends of that street connected and would like to have the city pay the bills, and it looks as though there would be no end to similar petitions, if the city council makes a precedent in the case of Temple street. A number of such petitions are in circulation and will be presented if the West Newton street goes through, and it is difficult to see how any of them can be refused, if one is granted.

WARD Four people have done well in persuading ex-Alderman Geo. M. Fiske to accept a nomination for alderman, and have set an excellent example for the other wards to follow. With such men as Mr. Fiske in the board, the new charter would start off under the most favorable auspices.

AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mr. David Neagle of Stanford street is reported ill.

—Plummer's block is undergoing necessary repairs.

—Miss Fannie Dillingham of Woodland road left this week for New York.

—Mr. Brewster has sold his well known trotting horse to Cambridge parties.

—Mr. Warren C. Hubbard of Weston returned this week from a trip to New York.

—Charles Shellnut of Islington road is recovering from the effects of his recent painful accident.

—Extensive repairs are being made on the residence of Mrs. Eben Smith on Auburndale avenue.

—Auburndale lodge A. O. U. W. will this evening attend the exercises of Needham lodge in that place.

—Mr. Charles E. Sweet of Grove street attended the fox hunt of the Dedham club in that place, Saturday.

—Mrs. Van Wagenen of Woodland road is reported as recovering from her recent severe attack of diphtheria.

—Patrolman Mills found a bicycle on a vacant lot at the corner of River and Webster streets, Wednesday evening.

—C. G. Milham, the real estate dealer, has rented the Longfellow house corner of Fern and Hancock streets, to Mr. J. Colton.

—An important change is to be made in the Boston & Albany time table beginning Dec. 1st, when the winter schedule will be effected.

—Miss Jane Bishop entertained a company of about 30 ladies at her residence, corner of Woodland road and Vista avenue last Tuesday afternoon.

—Next Wednesday evening will take place the marriage of Miss Katherine Haney to Patrolman William Dolan. Mr. and Mrs. Dolan will reside on Prairie avenue.

There are letters in the postoffice for Mrs. A. L. Barber, Miss Mary Kenney, Mrs. Mary Wordworth, George E. Edwards, W. J. Horton, E. A. Turner and F. E. Warner.

—Complaint is made of boys who throw stones at each other and at other people on their way to and from school. Also of the members of the latter organization who are stoning a pair of handsome gray squirrels on Grove street.

—Last Saturday afternoon on their shooting grounds at Weston, a very successful meet of the Riverside gun club was held. There was a large attendance of members, and some excellent scores were made.

—Last Monday evening in Auburn hall, was held the regular meeting of Riverside lodge, N. E. O. P. The special guests of the evening were District Deputy Warden Miss Hinkley of South Boston and suite.

—Wednesday afternoon some 50 members of the Auburndale auxiliary of the Women's Board of Missions listened to an interesting address on "Missions in Japan" in the parlors of the Congregational church.

—Miss Bond of Newton Centre died at the home of Miss Seaverns on Pigeon Hill, Riverside. She was about 50 years old. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist church, Newton Centre, and the interment was at Newton cemetery.

—Miss Aiken gave an interesting talk to members of her kindergarten class last week. The life of Froebel was briefly considered, and the aims and work of the kindergarten illustrated by songs and games. Miss Aiken was assisted by Miss May Chapin.

—For the past several days the fire department has been at work trying to extinguish a fire in a coal pile at the Riverside yards of the B. & A. As the pile contains several hundred tons of soft coal, it will probably all have to be raked over before the fire can be put out.

—The lack of a hall is beginning to be felt, and one method will soon be devised by which the village will be supplied. There is not another village of the size of Auburndale in Massachusetts, which has not its own hall and free library, and public spirit here seems to be slow in awaking.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bates of Commonwealth avenue fittingly observed their 25th wedding anniversary at their residence Tuesday evening. During the evening a large number of friends called to extend their congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Bates were the recipients of many valuable gifts.

—At a special meeting of the Riverside Gun Club held last Saturday afternoon, a committee was appointed to consider the practicality of consolidating that organization with the Gun Club of Dedham. There is, it is said, a desire on the part of the members of the latter organization to join the ranks of the local club. The Riverside club members are said to favor the idea, and the plan will probably be carried through.

—The Woodland Park hotel promises to be a popular place this winter, as it has more permanent guests than ever before in its history. The new lines of street railway makes it easy of access from the railway stations and also from Boston by way of the Commonwealth avenue cars. A special feature this year will be the large

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number of family parties on Thanksgiving day, many advance orders having already been received.

—Mr. C. C. Butler, of the Woodland Park hotel, and family left yesterday for a few days rest at Lakewood.

—Rev. Chas. W. Gallagher, D. D. the new professor at Lasell Seminary, will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning, at 10.30. Seats free. All welcome.

—In the police court last Saturday morning the case of Charles L. Markham charged with the embezzlement of \$16 from C. F. Eddy, came up on continuance. Mr. Markham withdrew his plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty. Mr. Eddy stated that restitution had been made and Mr. Markham was fined \$30.

—A pleasing and successful musicale was given Wednesday evening, at the residence of Representative E. L. Pickard, Woodland road. Many neighbors and friends were present. Among those to take part were, C. B. Ashenden, C. B. Cole, Mrs. Annie Corey, Miss Mabel Eager, Miss Gertrude Young, Miss Carter, Mr. George Pickard, and Mr. Fred Plummer.

—There was a large gathering of Auburndale Republicans Monday evening in Auburn hall, for the purpose of nominating a preliminary list of candidates. Mr. George M. Fiske was nominated to serve as alderman for one year, according to the rules of the new city charter. A committee of five was chosen to nominate the other two aldermen at large. The committee chosen comprised Messrs. E. E. Hardy, A. B. Hayden, C. H. Bourne, G. D. Harvey and H. G. Hildreth. Resolutions were passed requesting that the present alderman and councilmen of Ward 4 investigate and report as to whether the polls in the city may be opened at 6 o'clock, as is the case in Boston. The caucus was unanimously in favor of the candidacy of the Hon. H. E. Cobb for mayor.

The Voting List.

Thirty names of women have been added to the list this year, and forty taken off, making a loss of ten.

On the men's list there has been a loss of 3, since the state election, and a gain of 133, making a total gain of 130. The total at the close of registration, Nov. 17, was 367, against 3157 for the same date last year.

In Memoriam.

The All Wise Father has unexpectedly called to the Heavenly Home a highly esteemed and beloved vice president of our club, Sarah Allen Conney. We, the members of the Natick Women's club desire to express our appreciation of her devoted interest in this organization, and of her efficient service so intelligently and generously given to promote its highest welfare.

A woman of varied attainments, rare social qualities, high ideals and noble purpose, she gave royalty of this bounty to every good work.

Faithfully to duty, her broad charity, and tender sympathy made every one who was in need her neighbor. She was summoned to her coronation in the midst of service and just at the fulfillment of joyful anticipations. "Our world had need of her," but we know the Eternal Wisdom and Goodness can not fail. "And what seems ill, is Gods plan misdevised." We would make permanent expression of joyful sorrow for the great loss which we have sustained, and offer our sympathy to those nearest and dearest to her, to whom this great bereavement has so suddenly come.

ROSE L. COOK,
MARTHA M. BIGELOW,
HATTIE L. PARLIN,
Committee.

Nov. 12th.

MARRIED.

BALLOU-SHEPARD—At Grace church, Nov. 15, by Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Shinn, Mr. Russell Arnold Ballou of Newton and Miss Helen Heath Shepard of Newtonville.

BARRETT-TAYLOR—At Newton Upper Falls, Nov. 17, by Rev. T. J. Danahy, John Joseph Barrett and Clara Maria Taylor.

TIERNY-QUINLAN—At Newton Centre, Nov. 17, by Rev. D. J. Wholey, Patrick Thomas Tierney and Ellen Jane Quinlan.

CAMERO-SMITH—At Newton Centre, Nov. 17, by Rev. D. J. Wholey, Joseph Finley Cameron and Mary Ann Smith.

MEADE-JOHNSTON—At Boston, Nov. 10, by Charles A. Peyth, justice of the peace, John Joseph Meade and Ida Johnson.

DIED.

SOULE—At Newton, Nov. 13, Walter Sylvester Soule, aged 23 yrs. 11 mos., youngest son of the late Capt. E. C. Soule.

ROXB—At Auburndale, Nov. 13, Emma A. Bond, 46 yrs. 1 mo. 29 days.

WHITE—At Gibraltor, Nov. 17, Ellen Maria, wife of Ralph Huntington White. Funeral services at her late residence, Walnut street, Chestnut Hill, Friday, Nov. 19, at 10 o'clock.

ROSS—At Newtonville, Wednesday, 17th inst., Cloelia A., wife of Henry F. Ross. Funeral services at her late residence, Walnut street, Newtonville, Saturday, Nov. 20, 1 p. m.

MULLEN—At Newton, Nov. 17, Mary A., beloved wife of Peter K. Mullen, 38 yrs.

FORESTALL—At Newtonville, Nov. 10, J. Frank Forestall, 28 yrs. 24 days.

SMARDON—At Newton, Nov. 12, Cornelia S. T., wife of John A. Smardon, 62 yrs. 7 mos. 17 days.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

Pursuant to and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Annie Marr to Clara S. Pulsifer dated March 24, 1896 and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 2447 Page 392 which said mortgage has by instrument recorded with said Deeds November 12, 1897 been duly assigned to me, for breach of the condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Monday, the thirtieth day of December 1897 at half past three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises by said mortgage deed conveyed and therein described substantially as follows, viz:—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the part of said Newton called Auburndale, being lot numbered six on a plan of land situated at Auburndale, belonging to E. D. Winslow, dated January 1, 1873, recorded in Middlesex Registry of Deeds (South District) Plan Book 22 Plan 1 bounded:—

Westerly by Islington Street, one hundred and seventy feet; Northerly by land formerly of Winslow, now of Oler, one hundred and sixty-five feet; Easterly by the flower meadow now or late of Caroline Ware, about one hundred and seventy-eight feet; and Southerly by lot numbered seven on said plan. Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes or assessments.

Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars are to be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale.

For further particulars, apply to the undersigned
GEO. ROYAL PULSIFER, Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

Room 26, 5 Tremont St., Boston.
November 12, 1897.

By SAMUEL W. TUCKER, Auctioneer,
43 Court Street, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage deed given by Ralph Messenger to Esther Sullerstein dated October 12th, 1896 and recorded in the registry of deeds for the County of Middlesex So. District librs 2593 folio 476, and for breach of conditions therein will be sold at public auction on the premises on Friday the tenth day of December, 1897, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage deed, to-wit:—

Lot numbered eleven (11) on said plan one hundred sixty seven and 12-100 (107.12) feet; Southeasterly by lot numbered four (4) and five (5) on said plan one hundred fifty eight and 10-100 (158.10) feet, and Southeasterly on lots numbered seven (7) and eight (8) on said plan one hundred sixty-one and 85-100 (161.85) feet; Containing 27652 square feet of land. This property is also subject to a prior Mortgage amounting to twenty five hundred Dollars (\$2500) given by said Messenger to Eliza A. Bowers by deed dated October 12, 1896.

Terms \$200 at time of sale.

ESTHER SULLERSTEIN, Mortgagee.
P. B. Runyan, attorney,
250 Washington Street, Boston.

Miscellaneous.

LOST—Gold Watch on or near Highland street, Newtonville. Suitable reward. 1t

LOST—Silver Watch and Chain. A small hall was attached to end of chain. Watch was marked June 25, 1892. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at Graphic office.

NEWTONVILLE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.
—Have you seen the Japanese travelling pillow at the Jap store.
—Mr. F. J. Hartshorn is erecting a stable on Gray street near his residence.

—Rev. A. Eugene Bartlett of Hyde Park, Mass., will preach in the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bailey of Cabot street have returned from Oskosh, Mich., where they enjoyed several weeks stay.

—The many friends of Mr. Edward Rumery will be pleased to hear that he is recovering from his recent severe illness.

—The regular meeting of Mt. Ida Council will be held Monday evening. Mr. Abbott Bassett is announced as the speaker of the evening.

—Gen. Hull Lodge, A. O. U. W., held its "adies night" in the evening at the hotel hall. What was the attraction, and four handsome prizes were awarded.

—The next food sale will be held in the parlors of the New church, Highland avenue, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 20. Mrs. J. E. Lockett will be in charge.

—Rev. A. Eugene Bartlett of Hyde Park will preach at the Washington Park church next Sunday morning. The choir will repeat by request, Garrett's "Harvest Cantata."

—Miss E. Addie Brooke has accepted a position with George B. King, the well known and fashionable Back Bay stationer and engraver, at 250 Boylston street, Boston.

—Mr. Charles E. Bussum, formerly in charge of the choir of the church of the Messiah in Boston and St. Paul's church, Brookline, will sing at St. John's church, Sunday afternoon.

—The Newton clubhouse is to be provided with an electric lighting plant, and a room has been erected at the rear of the building to contain the dynamo and other necessary machinery.

—The next regular meeting of Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies will be held next Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 23. It is hoped to have a large attendance as there is business of importance.

—Wm. Lloyd Garrison will give the next in the series of "popular talks," at the Washington Park church next Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. His subject will be "The Fundamental Social Problem." The public invited.

—The regular convocation of Newton Royal Arch Chapter was held Tuesday evening. The Royal Arch degree was worked on a large number of candidates. A collation was served at the close of the business exercises.

—The regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias was held Monday evening. The second and third ranks were worked on several candidates. Deputy M. E. Stevenson of Commercial Lodge, Boston, was present with several members of that Lodge.

—The regular meeting of the Baptist Division was held at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Lathrop, Central avenue, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 10th. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. F. Jones, Endicott street, Newton, at 8 o'clock, Wednesday, Dec. 1st, at 2 p. m.

—Rev. William H. Williams of Vaban and Rev. Edward T. Sullivan of Newton Centre, will conduct the services of St. John's church in Temple Hall on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Leaflets containing the service in consecutive order are provided at each service. All are welcome.

—Sunday morning at 10.45 in the Methodist Episcopal church, the pastor's brother, Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D. D., the secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society, will preach. Many of his old friends in this neighborhood will be glad to greet him. All are cordially invited.

—A Union Thanksgiving service will be held on Wednesday evening, Nov. 24th, at the Washington Park church. The choir of the Newtonville churches will render music, and the pastors will give brief addresses. The service will be largely musical. The attendance ought to be greater than for years.

—J. F. Forrestall, formerly in the drug business under Hotel Pelham, Boston, died last Friday at Lynde street, at the home of Mrs. Charles Cunningham of Walnut street. He went out of business two years ago, and since, until a few weeks ago, had been traveling in the west for his health. He was unmarried. Mrs. Charles Elwell of Roxbury is his sister. He was a son of the late Thomas Forrestall.

—At the Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday evening, at 7.30, the pastor, Rev. Franklin Hamilton, will continue the series of talks entitled "A Far Country." The topic will be "The Haunts of the Robber Barons." Mr. Hamilton spent several weeks in this most romantic section of Europe and will give some of his experiences while visiting what Humboldt called "The most beautiful spot in the world." All seats free and all men are welcome. Special music with solo.

—About twenty members of Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies with friends made a visit to one of their members at Newton Highlands, Mrs. C. L. Lathrop, on Sunday evening, Nov. 13, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of her marriage. An evening of rare pleasure was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Lentell were the recipients of many beautiful and costly tokens of esteem and the congratulations of many friends, who dispersed to their several homes with promises to return on the occasion of their 50th anniversary.

—"What's in a name?" When residents on or in the vicinity of Cheesecake boulevard are asked to leave their calling address, it paralyzes the pencil and upsets the bundle box to locate the place and person. Loomis says he can not people that fine avenue which is all ready to become a residential resort, until some other and more agreeable designation shall supersede the Cheesecake child of other days. Why not call it Pinkham park as Mr. Pinkham has pioneered the avenue with two fine residences, one at a scenic viewpoint and the other will be in the near future.

—Last Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Heath of Highland avenue, a reception was given to Mr. and Mrs. Enoch C. Adams of West Newton. Mr. Adams, who has recently come from Newburyport, is the new master of the Newton high school, filling the position formerly occupied by Edward J. Goodwin. The affair was attended by some 150 guests, including members of the high school committee, school board, school teachers, and parents of pupils. Mr. and Mrs. Adams were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blodgett, and Mr. and Mrs. George L. Aldrich.

—Mrs. Cloella A. wife of Mr. Henry F. Ross, died Wednesday evening at her home on Walnut street, after a short illness. Deceased was 52 years old. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sanford of Ware. She received her education in the public schools in her native place, and was afterward a teacher there for several years. Her marriage life had been passed in Newtonville where she was universally loved and respected. Mrs. Ross was a prominent member of the Universalist parish and was connected with the Goodard Literary Union and the Newtonville Women's Guild. She was very charitable in a quiet way. Her many acts of kindness and her generosity in aiding those less favored in life, her gifts to the needy and sympathy for the suffering endeared her to many people. By them she will long be remembered as a sincere friend. A husband and one son survive her. The funeral will

be held Saturday at 1 p. m., from the residence on Walnut street.

—1700 Japanese babies, Jap store.
—Mr. H. F. Ross has begun the erection of a new house on Cabot street.

—Mrs. A. S. Mendell of Washington park will pass the winter months in Everett.

—Mrs. Thayer of Court street is going to Maine where she expects to reside permanently.

—Mrs. A. F. Cooke is in New York for a week, for the horse show, and is registered at the Waldorf.

—See C. C. Clapp's great fall and winter sale of boots and shoes. Everything new and up to date.

—Rev. A. Eugene Bartlett of Hyde Park will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

—Rev. C. S. Nickerson, pastor of the Universalist church, expects to be absent for a brief period in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Wetherall are attending the horse show in New York, and are stopping at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

—Mrs. J. Wesley Kimball and daughter sail from Antwerp, Belgium, Nov. 20, for New York, arriving home about Dec. 1st.

—Miss P. A. Churchill of Crafts street has gone to Philadelphia where she will spend several weeks, subsequently visiting with friends in Washington.

—The meeting of the directors and visitors of the Associated Charities was held yesterday afternoon, a week earlier than usual on account of Thanksgiving.

—It is hoped by the high school teachers and the school board that the new building on Walnut street will be completed in season to make the move during the Christmas holidays.

—There are letters remaining in the post-office for Miss Ethel L. Harlow, C. F. Harris, Geo. M. Laraway, Miss Edith E. Matthews, Miss E. M. Merrill, Mrs. Genevieve Moody, A. D. Newton, and Miss Julia Shea.

—The address of Prof. E. W. Rishell on Sunday evening last, before the Young People's societies of this place, at the Congregational church, was very practical and helpful. A large number were in attendance and manifested their interest by the close attention which they gave to the address.

—While the horses of Hose 4 were exercising Thursday, an alarm of fire was rung in. The horses returned rapidly and as they turned to run into the truck house a wheel caught in the track throwing the wagon against a post, badly smashing it. The driver was thrown out but fortunately escaped serious injury. The horse was badly cut.

—The ladies of the Washington park Universalist church are to be congratulated on the very gratifying results which have followed their efforts to make a church fair, held this week, a splendid success. That they have succeeded in every particular is without doubt, as the attendance and liberal patronage are convincing proofs.

The sale began Wednesday afternoon, and will continue afternoon and evening until to-night. The church parlors were handsomely decorated with drapings of bunting and flowers. At the different sides of the room and in the centre were tastefully arranged booths, beautifully decked with festoons of colored bunting, cut flowers, and plants. There were tables for the sale of useful and fancy articles, candy, flowers, and groceries, etc. In addition was the art department and the parish picture gallery. The latter was of more than ordinary interest not only to the church members but also to all Newtonville residents, as it contained old photos and daguerreotypes of some of Newton's leading citizens and past and present members of the parish. The other departments were also well patronized. Those in charge were: Useful table, Mrs. J. F. Bancho, Mrs. D. C. Fitch, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Atwood, Mrs. Whitney, and Mrs. Heins; orange grove, Mrs. Hart-Gorne, Mrs. Geo. Pope, and Mrs. A. W. Pope; fancy table, Mrs. W. F. Kimball, Mrs. Penney, Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Keene, Mrs. G. H. Talbot, Miss Eliot, and Miss Wait; flower table, Mr. W. F. Kimball, Miss George Corcoran, Miss Bessie Clark, Miss Edith Bradford, and Mrs. Dickinson; lemonade table, Mrs. Partridge, Mrs. Garmon, Miss Curtis and Miss Fisher; art department, Miss Lydia Young and the young lady and gentleman of the Christian Union; candy table, ladies of the Lend-a-Hand Society; Sunday school table, Miss Kinsbury, Miss Trotter, Mrs. Wise and the members of their classes; "Mystery Box," Mrs. Crocker, Eddie Richards, and Eddie Trotter; men's table, Messrs. Keene, Dickinson, French, and Hart-house; parish pictures, Mrs. C. S. Nickerson, Mrs. Bachelder, Mrs. French, Mrs. French, Mrs. Sylvester. The dining room, where supper was served each evening, was in charge of Mrs. C. S. Keene. In the parish picture gallery tea and cocoa were served. Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Cotting poured.

WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.
—The Congregational Sunday school will give a harvest concert next Sunday evening.

—The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Tuesday afternoon in the Baptist vestry.

—The contract for the alterations in City Hall has been awarded to C. H. and A. F. Ireland of Newton Highlands.

—The Newton Veteran Firemen's Association held a special meeting Tuesday evening at the engine house on Watertown street.

—The Neighborhood Club bowling team played the Newton Highlands Club on the latter's alleys last Friday evening, and was defeated by a score of 2227 to 2293.

—One of the attractions at the Unitarian social this (Friday) evening will be the play entitled "Bachelor Maids," the production of the pen of Miss Esther Tiffany.

—Last Friday afternoon, Mary Higgins, 9 years old, wandered from her home on West Pine street, and was reported as missing to the police. She was found later in Waltham, and returned to her parents.

—Word has been received at police headquarters this week from Lowell, that City Marshal Charles F. Richardson, who has been seriously ill at his brother's home in that city since early in August, is now rapidly recovering.

—The Men's Club held the first meeting of the season, Wednesday evening, in the parlors of the Congregational church. Capt. Howard was the speaker of the evening and gave an interesting talk on the late war. There was a good attendance and the club promises a most interesting winter's program. A light collation was served at the close of the business exercises.

—A large audience was present at the meeting of the Educational Club last Friday afternoon. A report of the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Federation at Great Barrington was prepared by Mrs. Flora D. Sampson of Newton. The following interesting papers on Summer Outings were read: "Footprints of Macbeth" by Mrs. Cobb of Newton Highlands, "Richmond" by Mrs. Perrin of West Newton, "A Trip to California" by Mrs. Rowe of West Newton, "Camp Crawford and Climb up Mt. Washington" by Miss Burt of Newton, "Appalachian Trip to Mt. Monadnock" by Mrs. Ware of Auburndale. Musical selections were rendered in a pleasing manner by Miss Bessie Cheney. It was voted by the club to send letters of sympathy and condolence to Mrs. Sarah Davis, who has been seriously ill at the hospital for some time, and also to Mrs. N. T. Allen who so

recently suffered a heavy loss by the death of her daughter, Mrs. Conney, of Natick.

—The next meeting of John Eliot Lodge A. O. U. W. will be held Wednesday evening.

—The Firemen's hall will be held this (Friday) evening in Masonic hall, Newtonville.

—Mrs. Howard Vining was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark of Eddy street, last week.

—The Woman's Guild held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the parlors of the Congregational church.

—Mr. George A. Walton delivered a lecture Monday at Keene, N. H., before the Teacher's Association of that county. The subject of his address was "The Teacher's authority."

—Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, national and world's superintendent of Scientific Temperance Institution, will give a lecture, Tuesday evening, Nov. 30, in the Congregational church. Mrs. Hunt has recently returned from abroad where she received the highest honors. She is a fine speaker and every one should embrace this opportunity of hearing her.

—Temperance Sunday will be observed next Sunday at the Baptist church by special services. Morning service, sermon by the pastor. Temperance services in the Sunday school. In the evening at 6.30 there will be a temperance mass meeting addressed by Mrs. S. S. Fessenden state president of the W. T. U., a most eloquent and brilliant speaker. Special music by the quartet. Public cordially invited.

—Everyone interested in equal suffrage, is interested in the fair to be held in Lorimer hall, Boston, Dec. 7-11 inclusive. The Newton table will be in the room. Whiting is president, bids fair to be one of the handsomest in the hall, and a large number of pretty and useful articles have already been completed. Anyone who wishes to make donations for the fair may leave their contributions with Mrs. E. N. L. Walton of this place or Miss Susan Whiting of Newton.

—About 4.15 o'clock Sunday afternoon, while Miss Traverse and Miss Butterfield of Boston were driving down Washington street, near the boulevard, their horse became unmanageable. The meadow brook cart which they occupied, came into collision with a tree. Both young ladies were thrown, but fortunately escaped with but a severe shaking-up. The carriage was badly wrecked. Patrolman Richard Taffa captured the horse. The young ladies, who had been visiting friends in Auburndale, returned to that place.

—The West Newton Women's Alliance held an interesting meeting, Thursday forenoon, in the parlors of the Unitarian church. The topic was "The Lutheran and the Reformed Church." A bright and pleasing paper was read by Miss Mabel Wilbur. It was voted by the society to donate money to various benevolent objects and also to send one or more barrels of clothing to Mrs. Josephine Ghaunt Carlyle, a teacher in the Birmingham school, for distribution among the colored people of that section.

—About 6.45 o'clock, Monday evening, box 73 was rung in for a fire in the residence of Mr. Thomas A. Estabrook of Fountain street. The upper portion of the house, to which the fire was confined, was badly gutted. The cause is unknown but it is supposed that it started from a candle coming in contact with some clothing hanging in a closet on the third floor. One of the members of the household had been in the attic with a lighted candle earlier in the evening, and a half hour later, smoke was discovered issuing through the windows of the upper part of the house. The blaze was burning briskly when the department arrived. The damage amounted to about \$750. Insured.

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NEWTON BEATS BOSTON COLLEGE.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OUTWEIGHS THE COLLEGE BOYS AND THE LATTER ARE UNABLE TO PLAY THEIR FULL STRENGTH.

Newton athletic association and Boston college played Tuesday afternoon on the Cedar street gridiron, the home team winning, 18, 0. The victors outweighted their opponents in every position.

Boston college was obliged to present a substitute team, as Holland, White, Reynolds, Landrian and Grady were saved for the big game with Holy Cross next Saturday afternoon. Both teams were weak on the defensive, and had it not been for the running of Corbett and Nash, Newton would have suffered a defeat, as these two put up a fine game and made several telling rushes.

A heavy wind blew down the field when the eleven lined up, and Newton won the toss. Newton's punting proved to be an important factor in the victory. Boston college kicked off, and Fitzgerald returned the kick, punting 60 yards. The college men advanced the ball for a first down, and Hurley punted against the wind. Newton was obliged to give up the leather on downs, Kiley and Kiley tackling well behind the line. The ball changed hands repeatedly on fumbles, and on a blocked kick Matteson picked the leather up and scored the first touchdown, from which Corbett kicked the goal.

On the second kickoff Corbett returned the ball into the Boston college territory. The heavy men were brought into play at this point, and Nash got the second touchdown by a play through Fitzgerald and Long. The goal was difficult, but Corbett kicked it.

The third and last touchdown was made by Nash, after Corbett had punted down the field for 30 yards on an on-side kick, bringing the ball to the five-yard line. Newton came near crossing the line for the fourth time, but her opponents made a desperate stand on the three-yard line and got the ball on downs.

In the second half Boston college had the ball most of the time, and only once did Newton get into the college territory. McDonald, the well known hurdler, private, pretty run of 50 yards, being downed on the three-yard line. Newton got the ball on downs, however, and the only opportunity to score was blocked by Corbett, who circled the end for 25 yards.

The best work for Newton was done by Corbett, Richards, Warren, Fitzgerald and Nash, while Hurley, Kiley, McDonald and O'Connell excelled for Boston college.

The summary:

NEWTON A. BOSTON COLLEGE

Butler 10.....e D. J. O'Connell

Nash 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Richards 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Abernethy 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Kimball 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Staine 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Warren 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Corbett 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Sears 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Fitzgerald 1.....e D. J. O'Connell

Score—Newton 18. Touchdowns—Nash 2, Matteson 1. Goals—Corbett 3, Umpire, Leslie, Newton, Referee, Wiley, Boston College, Linesmen, White and Kistie, Time 15m halves.

Congregational Club.

The monthly meeting of the Newton Congregational club was held Monday evening in the Second Congregational church. The doors were open at five o'clock and a social hour enjoyed before supper. Rev. Charles E. Havens of Newton Highlands offered the blessing. At the opening of the business session prayer was read by Rev. Geo. M. Adams, D. D. Several changes were proposed which will be acted upon at the next meeting. Rev. Charles M. Southgate of Abundant presented the report of the outlook committee, and referred to the work and anniversary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

The topic of the evening, "Parental Education and School Education; Do They Properly Supplement Each Other," was introduced by President Arthur C. Farley of Abundant. He made special reference to the lack of co-operation on the part of the home and the school.

Mrs. Alice Peloubet Norton was the first speaker of the evening. She did a teacher saying that a pupil could be better trained if taken away from home altogether, and said that she thought this showed an extreme view of a situation that prevails to some extent. The home should have a large place in education, in relation should be the watchword. The home should see that physical, mental and spiritual training are properly balanced. The parents should study the children more carefully without their knowledge. They should also more fully realize their responsibility and there should be more consultation with the teachers.

Miss Annie B. Tomlinson of the Brookline high school, gave a teacher's suggestion as to how the home may be made better to support the work of the school. The education of the child is two-fold; conscious, in school; unconscious, in the home. Which is the more important? These two kinds should be made to harmonize. In this the teacher cannot take the initiative, but this can and should be done by the parents.

Mrs. Frances E. Clark spoke on "Some Neglected Corners," and made a bright and practical address. She suggested that the important point was a study of the comparative importance of different things. Sincerity at school to be better with out also cultivating punctuality at home? There must be home study to such an extent as to crowd out home work? Where are we to put in the religious work? Are we not in danger of making it subordinate to secular education? A wise mother once said to her girls, "First, you are to be good; second, you are to be well; third, you are to be as wise as you can."

Mrs. Louise H. Putnam, who was also expected to make an address, was unable to be present on account of illness.

Among those who took part in the discussion were Mr. George S. Houghton, Dr. S. G. Webber, and Prof. J. B. Taylor. They emphasized among other things the two great numbers committed to one teacher, the parents' superiority to all others in authority, and the teachers' more perfect knowledge of his own work.

Musical selections were rendered through the evening by Miss Gonyon and Mr. Chase, members of the quartet of the First church, Newton Centre.

Mr. N. N. Osburn well known at Woodstock, Mich., was troubled with a lame back. He was persuaded to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It gave him relief in one night. This remedy is also famous for its cures of rheumatism. For sale by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genet, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

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NEWTON.

Dr. and Mrs. Davenport will be at home on Park street, Jan. 5 and 12.

—Mr. L. G. R. Woodruff and family have removed from Thornton street to Boston.

—Thanksgiving services will be held in Grace church at 10:45 p.m. Thursday of this week. Seats free to all.

—The Messrs. Stanley's motor carriage has made several appearances on the streets this week, and always attracts a crowd as it glides along.

—Rev. Dr. E. H. Byington addressed the Young Men's Congregational Club in Boston, Wednesday night, on "What Old Boston has to say to Young Boston."

—The Newton Harness Company has taken the vacant store on Centre place, and will open next week with a fine line of goods, and also prepared to do all kinds of repairing.

—The new Hunnewell Hill Club house is now slated to be ready for occupancy on Feb. 1st. The exterior is almost completed, and the men are now working on the interior finish.

—Some time Tuesday night a new house on Tremont street was broken into by the forcing of a rear window, and some carpenter's tools belonging to Albert Brown of Rustic street, valued at \$15, were stolen.

—The regular meeting of the Social Science Club was held Wednesday morning at the residence of Mrs. J. D. Barrows, Washington street. An address was delivered by Richard Cone on "Voice Culture."

—The marriage is announced of Miss Helen H. Shedd of Newtonville and Mr. Russell A. Ballou of Newton, Monday, Nov. 15th. The ceremony was private, only the members of the families being present.

—The spans for the Centre place bridge were placed in position, Wednesday night, so that this convenient thoroughfare to the station will be opened this fall. Work on the Washington street bridge is progressing, and it may be partially opened to the public by the last of next week, and certainly by the first of the month.

—Music in Grace church Sunday night: Processional, "Saviour blessed Saviour." Oakley Magnificat. Kimmens. Nide Dimittis. Kimmens. Solo, "Come unto me." Kimmens. Anthem, "Ye shall dwell in the land." Stainer. Retrospectional, "Holy, Holy, Holy." Dykes. Seats free.

—Grace church was consecrated Nov. 30, 1887, by Bishop Paddock. It was built 14 years earlier but no Episcopal church was consecrated until it is all complete, so this took place ten years ago. Phillips Brooks preached the sermon. The Men's Club intend commemorating the tenth anniversary by a reception in the parish house on the evening of Tuesday, the 30th.

—The sermon in Grace church on last Sunday morning was based upon the pressing "Fighting with beasts at Ephesus," the text being interpreted as relating to the conflict every boy and man must wage with brutalizing influences in the world. The temptations of school life, business and amusements were considered, and the helps which were offered for resisting them and living noble lives.

—Mr. Joseph Simpson is to build a handsome residence on Hunnewell avenue, next to Mr. Moore's. It is said to be the intention to extend Hunnewell terrace through the Bartlett land, and move the present Hunnewell Hill Club house round, to front on the terrace, which will leave another fine lot on Hunnewell avenue and several lots on the terrace. Plans are now being formed to begin work in the early spring.

—Tuesday evening at Cambridge, was held the state drill. Newton was represented by a fine squad from Co. C, and is justly proud that a member of the Newton company was awarded first prize. Corp. John Forseen who held first place last year came back again this year with fresh laurels. He is well known for his excellent drilling and during the past two years has won six gold medals.

—James Kennedy, 14, of Boston, was seriously injured in a gunning accident on Wednesday morning. With another boy of his own age he was hunting near the Newton reservoir. He was slightly in the lead when his companion's gun was accidentally fired against him, hitting him in the chest. The charge took effect in Kennedy's left leg, severing an artery. The lad's injuries are not serious, but he is reported as very weak from loss of blood.

—Last Saturday afternoon at Maynard, Mass., the Garden City football team added another to its long list of victories by defeating the Maynard A. A. eleven by a score of 16 to 0. The Newton players were in excellent trim, and outplayed their opponents in every point. Their record thus far is very creditable, as they have yet to be defeated this season. It is expected that the team will line up against eleven from Co. C, 5th regiment, Thanksgiving day, when a hot game may be expected.

—Music in Eliot church next Sunday:

MORNING.
Organ prelude, Transcendental, Schumann
Anthem, "Hear, O Lord," Watson
Choir hymn, "Lead, Kindly Light," Sullivan
Organ postlude, Dunham

EVENING, 7:30.
Organ prelude, Christmas Pastoral, Merkel
Anthem, "Let my Prayer be set forth," Woodman
Hymn anthem, "Incline Thine Ear," Hummel
Organ postlude, Last movement of Mendelssohn

—Miss Iva Kempshall has invented a very fascinating puzzle, called "Puss in the Corner," which has been placed on the market this fall, and some are for sale at the Newton Bazaar. It will interest not only children, but also older people as well, and promises to rival the famous 13 puzzle. Miss Kempshall is still only a school-girl, but she has invented a number of puzzles, for the amusement of her friends, but this one is so popular that a patent has been applied for, and the advance sale has been so large that the makers are finding it difficult to fill their orders.

—About 7 o'clock last Friday evening a collision between an electric car and an express wagon occurred just across the Newton line on Tremont street, Brighton. From what could be learned at the time of the accident, a heavily loaded wagon, belonging to Newcomb's express was crossing the car track, when it was run into from the rear by an outward bound electric. The driver of the express wagon, George Newcomb of Pearl street, was knocked off by the force of the collision, and received a number of cuts and bruises. The wagon was thrown across the road and its contents badly scattered, and the horses were severely injured. The front of the car was also wrecked.

—The death of Walter Sylvester Soule, last Saturday morning, was very sudden, he having been ill but a very few days. He had been suffering from appendicitis, and an operation was performed by a prominent Boston specialist, but he never rallied from the shock. He was a very popular young man, the youngest son of the late Capt. E. C. Soule of Walnut Park, and graduated at the Newton high school, and also at Harvard, class of 1896. Since leaving college he had been in business with his brother at 30 Sudbury street, Boston. The funeral services were held at the family residence on Walnut Park, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and Rev. Mr. Hornbrook officiated. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends, a large number of his Harvard classmates being present. The interment was in the family lot at Freeport, Me., where all the stones have been placed. The town was his birth place, and since leaving it he had spent nearly every summer there, and was a great favorite.

—The usual meeting of the Social Science Club will be omitted next week.

—Miss Selfridge of Boston has been the guest of friends in town this week.

—The Monday Club met this week at the residence of Mr. J. W. Davis on Centre street.

—Col. A. M. Ferris of Hunnewell Hill has left for a business trip to Chicago and Omaha.

—Mrs. L. F. French of Roxbury was a guest last week of Mrs. J. F. Frisbie of Centre street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Emery (nee Bowers) returned this week from their wedding tour.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Van Buskirk of Richardson street have returned from a trip to New York.

—The Neighborhood Circle met last Friday at the residence of Mrs. Lewis Coffin on Bellevue street.

—Leave your orders for Thanksgiving at the Newton Public Cash Market. Goods and prices will be right.

—About \$200 was netted by the ladies of Grace church by their successful fair given last week in the parish house.

—Mr. H. M. Walton of Jefferson street is to have charge of the singing at the Newtonville Universalist church.

—Miss Mary Fuller entertained the Freeman's Aid Society Circle at her home on Centre street, yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. George Skates, formerly of this place, but now of Dan N. H. Hall, has been in town the past week visiting friends.

—The Thursday Evening Whist Club was entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bartlett on Richardson street.

—Last Friday evening Channing council 76, Royal Arcanum, entertained the grand officers of the lodge at their rooms in Warner's block.

—Miss Daisy Grace Earle of Galen street read before a large audience at a public meeting of the W. C. T. U. in Chicopee, Tuesday evening.

—Rev. James H. Roberts, a missionary from Kalgan, North China, will address the meeting this evening at Eliot chapel on "China Waking up."

—Mr. C. Bowditch Coffin has presented the Channing church with a handsome white marble clock which is hung on the walls of the church parlors.

—Friday evening of next week Rev. F. B. Hornbrook will continue his talks on Milton in the Channing church parlors, taking for his subject "Paradise Lost."

—Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. Edwin F. Sawyer on Franklin street the fifth of Rev. Mr. Hornbrook's talk on Tennyson's Idylls of the King was given.

—Hon. G. D. Gilman addressed the members of the Massachusetts Reform League on "The Annexation of Hawaii," at their meeting in Young's Hotel, Boston, last Friday.

—T. A. Levill, a mason at work on a new house on Hunnewell terrace, reported to the police last Saturday afternoon that his overcoat had been stolen from a shed nearby.

—The directors of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School Association gave a complimentary dinner to their president, Mr. Stephen Moore, at the United States Hotel, Boston, Wednesday.

—Wm. Lloyd Garrison will deliver an address on the Single Tax at the Universalist church on Washington park, Newtonville, Monday evening, Nov. 22, at eight o'clock p.m. The public is cordially invited.

—Miss Clara Crawford Perkins gave the second in her series of lectures before a large company of ladies at the residence of Mrs. Charles E. Eddy on Franklin street, yesterday afternoon. Her subject was "Gibberti and Donatello."

—The fun at the "Business Men's Class" of the Y. M. C. A. has begun again. The member who showed such inability to catch the "medicine ball" last year, has been requested to either wear an apron, or to bring a bushel basket. There will be a large class this year. It is great fun.

—Mrs. John A. Smarden died last Friday evening at her home on Vernon street after a long illness. She had been a confirmed invalid for nearly 20 years. She was 55 years of age, and had lived in Newton nearly all her life. Her husband, who alone survives her, is a well known Boston commission merchant.

Coughs, colds, pneumonia and fevers may be cured by keeping the blood pure and the system toned up with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

TREMONT THEATRE.—Mr. Willard's opening week at the Tremont was socially, artistically and financially, a most successful one. The "Physician" appeared to suit Boston players, as the house was crowded for every evening, and at the Wednesday and Saturday matinees. Mr. Willard has decided, notwithstanding the great demand for "The Physician," to give his admirers another new production for next week, opening Monday evening. The production will be a dramatization of certain incidents in Charles Dickens' great novel, "Martin Chuzzlewit," entitled "Tom Pinch, or the Man of the Year."

Mr. Willard appearing as the gentle and loving Tom Pinch, perhaps as a character, the most beautiful ever created by the famous novelist, and transferred to the stage is especially suited to Mr. Willard, as his great success in the first night in Brooklyn on Nov. 8th, fully testifies. Special scenery has been provided and all the necessary properties and stage settings in keeping with the Dickens atmosphere, with costumes and wigs all artistically correct. It will make a most suitable offering for Thanksgiving week as it is full of the most excellent humor, and also of some pathetic and touching scenes. The departure of Tom Pinch after his dismissal by the hypocrite Pecksniff, is said to be most effectively played by Mr. Willard. Mr. Clarges will appear as Pecksniff, Mr. Taylor as old Martin Chuzzlewit, and Mr. Yorke as young Martin; Miss Maud Hoffman will play Mary Grahame. A rich treat is in store for all lovers of an artistically acted, carefully produced performance. For Thanksgiving week, special matinee for Thanksgiving Day, also matinee on Saturday. No matinee on Wednesday of next week. Intending visitors to the Tremont will kindly be seated before 8 p.m. in the evening and 2 p.m. at the matinees, the times advertised for commencement of performance. Seat sale now open for every performance next week.

Dr. Hale will Appreciate This.

The people of other cities claim that Boston was laid out by cows.—Edward Everett Hale.

The people of other cities are necessarily wrong. Chicago is the town that was laid out by cows. See Hon. Wash Hering's instructive pamphlet on "Cows and Fire Insurance."—New York Sun.

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December 7, 1897.

CITY OF NEWTON.



ORDERED,

That meetings of the citizens of this City, qualified to vote therein, are hereby called in the several Polling Places designated by this Board, on Tuesday, the seventh day of December, A. D. 1897, for the election of a Mayor and four Aldermen, said Aldermen being selected as follows: Two from each Ward, one to serve for one year and one to serve for two years; also to elect one Alderman to serve for one year. Also to elect four members of the School Committee, to be selected as follows: Two from Ward One and two from Ward Two, one from each of said Wards to serve for three years from the second Monday in January next, and one from each of said Wards to serve for four years from the second Monday in January next.

Also to give in their ballots "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City?"

All of the above officers and the question of licensing the sale of intoxicating liquors to be voted for on one ballot, except that the votes for School Committee by women will be by a separate ballot.

The polls will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon and closed at twelve minutes past four o'clock in the afternoon.

In the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Nov. 15, 1897.

Read and adopted.
ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, Clerk.

Approved, Nov. 15, 1897.
HENRY E. CORB, Mayor.

A true copy.
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Mortgagee's Sale Of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John B. Young to Fannie W. Rousmaniere dated April 28th 1897 and recorded in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds Book 2536 Page 297 will be sold at Public Auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage on the premises hereinafter described on Monday the Sixth day of December 1897 at Three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed namely: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of a private way forty feet wide called Remick Terrace distant forty six (46) feet from Charlesbank Road; Thence running Easterly by land formerly of Remick now of O'Brien Eighty (80) feet; Thence running Southerly by land formerly of Remick now of Griffin forty five (45) feet; Thence running westerly by land formerly of said Remick now of Griffin Eighty (80) feet to said Remick Terrace; Thence running Northerly by said Remick Terrace forty five (45) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 3690 square feet; and being the same premises conveyed to said John B. Young by deed dated Thomas M. Griffin dated December 23rd 1896 and duly recorded therein: All subject to the taxes assessed May 1st 1897, accrued interest and foreclosure expenses.

\$300 in cash will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, the balance in cash in ten days from day of sale at the office of Edward F. Barnes Room 402 No 31 State Street Boston. Further particulars can be obtained from the Auctioneer.

FANNIE W. ROUSMANIERE

Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage.

Boston Nov. 11th 1897.

Mortgagee's Sale Of Real Estate.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Herbert M. Beal to the Workingmen's Co-operative Bank, dated March 13, 1896 and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds Lib. 2446 page 595 will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on Tuesday the thirtieth day of November 1897, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows, to-wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Newton Upper Falls, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Northwesterly line of Chandler Place distant two hundred and fifty two feet Northwesterly from land now or late of Clapp; thence running Northwesterly by said Chandler Place, fifty feet; thence by a right angle running Southerly to land of the New York and New England Railroad, formerly of Boston, Hartford and Erie Railroad; thence running Southwesterly by said Railroad about fifty feet to land conveyed by said Herbert M. Beal in mortgage to the Boston Co-operative Bank, deed recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds Book 2313, page 599; thence running Northwesterly by said land so conveyed in mortgage as aforesaid to the point begun at. Being a portion of the premises conveyed by Ellen M. Lee to said Herbert M. Beal by deed dated February 17, 1891, recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds Book 246, and said premises are to be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Two Hundred Dollars of the purchase money to be paid at time of sale; other terms made known at time and place of sale. For further particulars inquire of MASSACHUSETTS TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, Devonshire Building, Boston.

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- Converse, Florence. Diana Victor. Drysdale, William. Beach Patrol: Story of the Life-Saving Service. 65.881
- Elliot, Daniel Girard. The Gallinaceous Game Birds of North America. 104.596
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—Miss Alice Everleth of Sweet's court, who has been quite ill, is reported as improving in health.

—F. W. Messiah and Wm. Morrow have dissolved partnership in the retail butter business. Mr. Messiah will be in charge hereafter.

—Gus King's interesting remarks were listened to by a large audience at the Buel Baptist mission last Friday afternoon. The attendance was unusually large.

—The many friends of Councilman Geo. H. Billings regret that his ill health will prevent him from being a candidate for alderman from this district this year.

—Last evening in the Nonantum club house the fifth in the series of members' entertainments was given. The program consisted of selections by a mandolin and guitar club, which were very acceptably rendered.

—Grand Worthy Patriarch Packard of Walnut Hill conducted instructive exercises at St. Elmo lodge, Sons of Temperance last Friday evening. Messrs. Frank Foss and Ellis Ward were elected members. This evening the lodge will meet again.

—The large shed in the city gravel pit on California street was entered sometime Sunday by removing a wooden shutter. The tools inside were disturbed and other articles overhauled. The break has been reported to the police, who are of the opinion that it was the work of boys.

—About 5.50 o'clock Monday afternoon while Robert Cross of Watertown was driving through this place on the gas company's team, the front axle of the wagon broke, and Cross fell, badly injuring his ankle. He was assisted by Patrolman Costello, and removed to his home.

—Friday evening of last week a large company of Nonantum club members gathered in the club house on Watertown street, and listened to a very interesting paper on "The Advance of Dentistry" read by Dr. Bourke. An informal discussion of the topic followed. Later a collation was served.

—At the Cambridge superior court last week Leander Bennett of this place was found guilty of breaking into the summer house of the late Dr. George. The offense was committed during the summer. Bennett was committed to the reformatory

at Concord for an indefinite period. His companion was placed on probation.

—Mrs. J. Miskella has resumed her dressmaking business at 328 Watertown street.

—Mr. Davis, the well known Waltham Evangelist, will speak at the Buel Baptist mission next Sunday.

—Before Judge Kennedy in the police court last Saturday John W. Baird, Joseph Haley, Daniel Cronan, and Thomas Miller, Nonantum boys, were charged by Patrolman O'Halloran with walking on the tracks of the Boston & Albany, Sunday, Nov. 7. They were placed on probation.

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NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Walter Chambers has taken a position in the Needham bicycle factory.

—Smith's express has added a new delivery wagon to its rolling stock.

—James Mayall has purchased the vegetable business of Walter Chambers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Temperly are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Hose 7 company responded to the alarm from box 64 at Newton Highlands, Tuesday morning.

—Mr. Thomas Rolfe and family are soon to remove from the Needham side to Charles River village.

—Wednesday evening Echo Bridge council, Royal Arcanum, held its regular monthly meeting in the lodge hall on High street. Two members were admitted.

—A bowling tournament is being arranged among the members of the Quineboquin association. Three different teams are being formed, and some lively matches are expected.

—The first in the series of entertainments by the juvenile club was given in Wade hall last evening. There was a good attendance, and the performance was received with merited applause.

—Wednesday morning at St. Mary's church on Chestnut street was solemnized the marriage of Mr. John J. Barrett and Mrs. Clara M. Taylor. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of friends of the bridal party. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Barrett entertained at their residence on Sullivan avenue.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mr. John F. O'Brien is to open a grocery store on Cedar street, next week.

—Mr. Nelson Payne is now able to be about after a severe illness of pneumonia of five weeks.

—Mr. David Warren has broken up housekeeping through an unfortunate affliction in his home.

—The Natick electric has changed their running time to connect with the Newton time, giving improved accommodations especially to through passengers.

—The following are unclaimed letters at the postoffice. Mrs. C. Bernier, Miss Christina Casey, F. W. Chickering, Miss L. B. Everett, Mrs. C. E. Gervise, John Lafey, Alfred Miller, Malcolm Shaw, Miss Sadie J. Poroy (3), Dixon Paylor, Miss Marian M. Hartshorn, Josephine Hennessey, and Mrs. Sumner Hostline.

Building Permits.

Inspector of buildings George H. Elder has granted these permits:

Curve street, Ward 3, 1-story church with tower, 42x71, steam. Myrtle Colored Baptist society, owner, cost \$3000.

Langley road, Ward 6, 2-story double house, 29x31, store, Arthur Muldoon owner, cost \$2200.

Adams street, Ward 1, 2-story frame tenements, 33x37, store, John F. Mulligan owner, E. J. Healy builder, cost \$2300.

Champa street, Ward 5, 2-story frame residence, 26x38, furnace or hot water, bath, etc., F. W. McAleer builder and owner, cost \$3500.

Webster street, Ward 3, 2-story frame residence, 26x32, furnace or hot water, bath, etc., Wm. Kellar owner and builder, cost \$2500.

Webster street, Ward 3, 2-story frame residence, 25x35, furnace or hot water, bath, etc., Wm. Kellar owner and builder, cost \$2500.

Alden street, Ward 6, 2-story frame residence, 20x43, furnace or hot water, bath, etc., F. E. Bantfield owner, J. M. Kellaway builder, cost \$7000.

Jerome park, Ward 3, 2-story frame residence, 27x27, furnace or hot water, bath, etc., J. E. Newcomb owner and builder, cost \$2000.

Cabot street, Ward 2, 2-story frame apartments, 70x50, furnace, bath, etc., H. F. Ross owner and builder, cost \$9000.

Cabot street, Ward 2, 2-story frame residence 35x34, furnace, bath, etc., H. F. Ross owner and builder, cost \$4000.

NEWTON CLUB.

The members' entertainment scheduled for Saturday evening, Nov. 27, was given at the club house in the assembly hall of the club house.

The billiard committee of the club has arranged for a tournament, Bagnall-Wilde system, to be held under the direction of the billiard instructor, John E. Kendrick, who will arrange the handicaps. Players will be divided into three classes. First class will give second 25 points in 100 and third class 45 points in 100. Second class players will give third class 30 in 100 points.

The Newton club extended its hospitality to the women of its members' families Wednesday evening. The occasion was the second in the series of monthly "ladies' nights," which brought out more than 200 of the society people of the Newtons.

Whist was played at 35 tables, arranged in the large assembly hall, from 8 to 10, and at 10 supper was served in the main cafe. During the evening an orchestra, stationed in the assembly hall, discoursed popular airs. The prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. Richard Anders first, Mrs. W. H. Rogers second, Mrs. G. P. Bullard third, Mrs. E. A. Ellis fourth, Mrs. F. E. Stanley fifth, and Mrs. J. A. Fenno sixth.

The Saturday night entertainment was of a high order and inaugurates a new policy with the entertainment committee. It was provided by the Tuxedo trio of New York and consisted of mandolin, guitar and banjo selections, English ballads and negro melodies. The assembly hall was filled and the artists and their work were fully appreciated.

The entertainment committee has provided a program of an exceptionally high order to be given "members' nights" during the season. The high standard will in no case be deviated from. The whole character of the monthly assemblies has been placed in the hands of a committee of eight young members. They will make a special effort at the monthly assemblies, may be of more than ordinary interest to the younger society set in the Newtons.

Wednesday evening, Nov. 24, there will be an extra ladies' night for the members and their ladies only, when a concert will be given by Carl Faellen, an eminent soloist from Boston.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

The Exploits of Myles Standish, by Henry Johnson (Muirhead Robertson), is a handsomely illustrated volume, containing all that is known concerning the most interesting member of the Plymouth colony. Of the first thirty six years of "True Life of Standish but very little is known, and the author has judiciously introduced what is probable to fill up the facts that are lacking. The latter portion of the story is taken from the original records of the Plymouth colony, and mainly from the manuscript of Governor Bradford, of which so much has been said of late. Capt. Myles Standish and his heroic figure of the little colony, and its preservation was due in great measure to his ability as a warrior in the contests with the Indians. His later history is also that of the colony, and all who are interested in the early struggles of the colony will find this book full of valuable facts told in a natural and graceful style, and the warlike nature of the hero and the exciting scenes through which he passed will make the story appeal particularly to boys. Published by D. Appleton & Co., \$1.50.

"Uncle Robert's Visit," by Francis W. Parker and Nellie Lathrop Helm, is the title of the latest issue in Appleton's Home Reading series. Like all previous volumes in this series the present work is intended to present information of practical value in an entertaining and readily assimilated manner. The subjects dealt with relate to the farm and other aspects of country life. D. Appleton & Co., New York, published this really valuable educational volume, which is the third in the series.

Hezekiah Butterworth has earned a foremost position among writers of wholesome fiction for youthful readers, and the latest work by his prolific pen is sure to receive a cordial welcome. The title is "True to His Home," and it is a story of the boyhood of Benjamin Franklin. It is to a certain extent historical fiction and presents in a thoroughly entertaining manner the most picturesque episodes in the home side of the life of the famous American, besides presenting a graphic picture of his public life. It is a book which every young American will be proud to own, and is published by D. Appleton & Co., New York.

The Folly of Pen Harrington is a bright, spirited novel by Julian Sturgis, with a very unusual, spoiled, and audacious heroine who does unconventional things, and at the same time exasperates and fascinates her long-suffering but loving friends. She plays with fire and comes near being scorched, touches pitch and does not escape the consequences, but through all is lovable and comes out better than she could have dared hope. D. Appleton & Co. 50c.

Mr. Bellamy's Equality is likely to be read in a greater number of languages than any recent American book. One of the latest propositions received by the publishers is for a translation into Bulgarian.

The demand for an authoritative popular book upon birds, containing accurate colored plates of the most beautiful and colored birds, has led D. Appleton and Company to issue an edition of Mr. Frank M. Chapman's Bird-Life in colors. The high praise which has been given to Mr. Ernest Ingersoll's seventy-five full-page pictures is an assurance of the welcome which will be given to the truthful portrayal of colors, as well as of natural attitudes, under the author's supervision with results which have not been approached heretofore.

The New Letters of Napoleon I. to be published shortly by D. Appleton and Company, will be awaited with much interest. An English critic remarks that "the most authentic likeness is that drawn by Napoleon's own hand, and that the New Letters manifest the great man in his smallest and most secret moods. Napoleon here confides his desires, hopes, fears, thoughts, methods, system, in such wise as no psychological historian could rival." Another critic says that "for brutality and persuasiveness these letters can not be matched in the literature of the world."

The New Letters, now published for the first time, were collected from the collection issued under the auspices of Napoleon III.

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THE JEFFERSON CLUB.

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The Newton Jefferson Club completed its organization at a largely attended meeting in Foresters hall, Monday evening, John E. Briston of Ward One called the meeting to order, and at once introduced Pres. Philip Doherty of the Massachusetts Democratic Club, who made an address.

He said in part:

"Work for the Democratic party in Massachusetts must be done by men who look for an immediate result. The odds against us are such that a timid man can find no immediate reward for his service. Men will be in demand who are willing to face a hostile majority and a hostile press, and these men will deserve the cordial support of every man who wishes to see the welfare of his fellow men."

"If it is true that there are in Newton from 3000 to 5000 unregistered voters whose natural affiliations are with the Democratic party it goes to show what a great opportunity there is for the organization of the democracy in the strongholds of republicanism. Put no man to the front unless he is fitted to lead, and at the end of ten years you will have in the Massachusetts legislature a force that will stand firm in the interests of the common people."

The organization of the club was completed by the election of the following officers: E. Farrington, pres.; D. J. Linnehan, F. E. Kneeland, J. J. Mahoney, and T. J. Galvin, vice pres.; James A. Hannon, sec'y; M. D. Farrell, asst. sec'y; John Purcell, sergeant-at-arms; E. J. Wilson, J. Dalton, Thomas J. Lyons, T. J. Galvin, and F. E. Kneeland. A committee was appointed to bring in names to fill vacancies in the list of officers at the next meeting.

Massachusetts Civil Service.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commissioners are about to hold examinations for positions in the civil engineering forces of the cities of the Commonwealth, and are ready to receive applications from persons, who wish to take the examinations.

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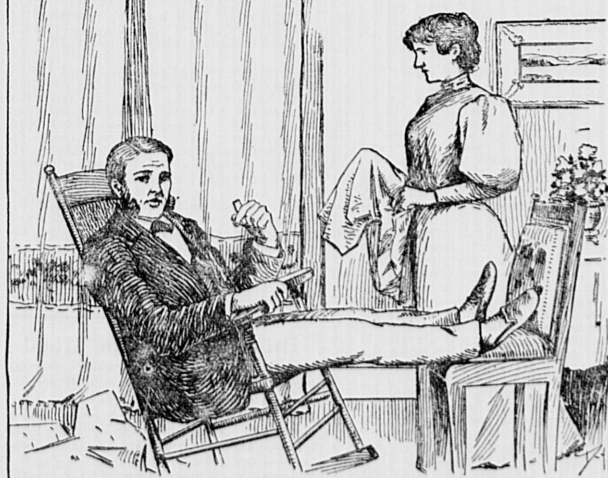
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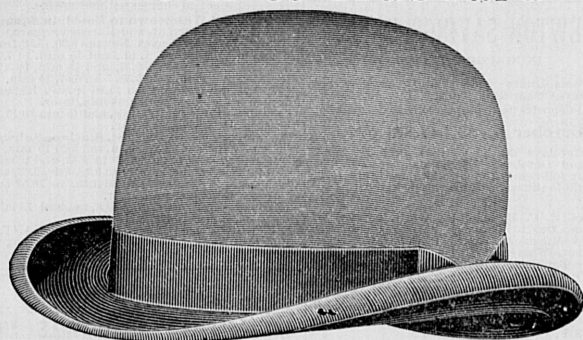
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—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington street.

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—A young daughter of Mr. Sampson of Trowbridge court is quite ill.

—Sewing machine supplies, repairing and machines to let at 10 Pearl court.

—Six above zero is an unusually low record for the day before Thanksgiving.

—Miss Martha Wellington of Fairmont avenue is reported ill with typhoid fever.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Robbins of Church street, are entertaining guests from New York this week.

—A full line Dennison's craps and tissue papers. Orders taken for flowers and shade work at Hubbard's drug store.

—Miss Edna Thompson of Newtonville avenue has returned from the Wilbraham Academy for a short visit at home.

—Wednesday at 7.30 o'clock there will be a public debate at Newton Y. M. C. A. Congress, when the tariff will be discussed.

—Mr. C. H. Peterson and family, formerly residents of this place, returned this week, and opened a house on Oakleigh road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bartlett and family of Richardson street have been in North Brookfield this week visiting Mr. Bartlett's father.

—Mr. Walter Boyce of Waverly avenue, who is ill at the Newton hospital with typhoid fever, is reported as improving in health.

—The Misses Edith and Ethel Moore, daughters of Mr. Stephen Moore of Hunnewell Hill, are home from Wellesley for the holidays.

—Next Sunday morning at the Immanuel Baptist church, Rev. R. A. Vose of North Cambridge will preach in exchange with the pastor.

—At 6.30 o'clock next Sunday evening the Channing church, Rev. E. B. Hornbrook, for his subject, "Our Puritan Forefathers." The speaker will be Mr. Clifford H. Kendall.

—Mr. Leon H. Vincent will give the last in his course of lectures at the Eliot church chapel next Thursday evening, taking for his subject, "Balzac and the Comedy of Life."

—Mr. W. B. Allen of Park street, who is gaining a favorable reputation as a water color artist, will give an exhibition at his home next Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 10 o'clock.

—The lecture by Miss Perkins was postponed on account of illness. It will be given on Thursday next at 10.30 at the house of Mrs. C. H. Buswell. Subject, "Fra Angelico."

—This evening in the parlors of the Channing church, Rev. E. B. Hornbrook will give the seventh in his lectures on Milton's life and work. His subject will be "Paradise Lost."

—Last Sunday at Eliot church, \$2017 was subscribed for the Newton hospital. On the previous Sunday at the same church \$1100 was raised for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. and other objects.

—Patrolman Charles R. Young has been transferred from the mounted squad to night duty at Newton. He will cover the route formerly patrolled by Patrolman McAleer, who is now detailed in the mounted squad.

—Next Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. E. T. Sawyer on Forest street, Rev. Mr. Hornbrook will continue his talks on Tennyson's Idylls of the King, taking for his subjects "Balin and Balan," and "Merlin and Vivian."

—The choir Guild of Grace church gave the first of a course of three entertainments, at the parish house, yesterday afternoon. The choir was assisted by Miss Mabel L. Sharrock, violinist, Mr. B. C. Van Wye, reader, and Master Andrew B. Potter, soprano soloist.

—The marriage is announced of Miss Anna Lella Parsons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parsons, to Mr. Cephas H. Brackett, brother of Mr. Albert Brackett. The ceremony was performed at Dover, N. H. last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Brackett will reside on Hunnewell Hill.

—Mr. J. M. Brison, formerly of Richardson street, died at his home in Marlboro, on Sunday, aged 29 years, after an illness of six weeks with typhoid fever. The funeral was held on Wednesday at his late residence, and the interment was at Sherborn. He leaves a wife and two children.

—Austin Harris, ten-year old son of J. Henry Harris of Avon place, met with a severe accident last Wednesday afternoon. He, with others were coasting on the grounds of Mrs. Billings, Franklin street, on a double runner. They lost control of the sled and ran into a stone post, young Harris receiving a compound fracture of the right thigh. Dr. J. F. Frisbie was called and sent him to the Newton hospital.

—An event of more than ordinary importance to the younger society set was the assembly given Wednesday evening in Temple hall, Newtonville, under the charge of Mr. John T. Coppins and Mr. John T. Alden. The affair called out an attendance of about 100 couples, including many from the different Newtons, Brookline, Cambridge, New York, Melrose, Malden, Arlington and Harvard. The decorations about the hall were most profuse. Tall palms were placed on the platform and at each side of the hall, and gay festoons of flowers greatly heightened the general effect. Parks orchestra furnished the music for the dancing from 8 o'clock until nearly midnight. Refreshments were served later in the banquet hall. The matrons were Mrs. G. E. Alden, Mrs. Geo. T. Coppins, Mrs. Chas. H. Buswell, and Mrs. Lewis E. Coffin. The floor was under the direction of Mr. W. T. Coppins and Mr. John T. Alden assisted by Messrs. A. C. Emery, Sewell Tucker, Wm. H. Hollings, Roland M. King, Harry F. Crafts, E. H. Ham-

mond, Avery Rand, Jr., E. M. Hallett, Robert Howard, and W. J. K. Taylor.

—Mr. F. O. Barber has taken the Judkins house on Maple avenue.

—Col. A. M. Ferris is expected home this week from his Western trip.

—Miss Nettie Stone of Maple avenue is visiting in Lakewood, N. J.

—Dr. E. B. Hitchcock of Hollis street has returned after a ten day's western trip.

—Fine French and hall clock repairing at W. A. Hodgdon's, French building, 28 tf

—Rev. H. G. Spaulding lectured before the Women's Club in Concord, N. H., last Friday.

—See opening of toys and holiday goods, at Boston Variety Store, 285 Washington street, Saturday evening.

—Mr. A. H. Sampson of Cambridge was a guest the first of the week of Mr. Frank D. Frisbie of Centre street.

—All razors and shears disinfected before using. Children's hair cutting a specialty at Burns', Cole's block.

—That our work is the best in Newton is shown by our large patronage. Elmwood street barber shop, Eliot block.

—The Newton Golf Club members played a member's handicap tournament on the Centre street links, yesterday.

—Miss Mabel T. Hall of Elmwood street leaves this afternoon for North Carolina, and will spend the winter at Pinehurst.

—Miss Ruth Sites of Carleton street spoke on her mission work in Foo Chow before the Methodist social union in Boston, Monday.

—Mr. H. C. Hardon gave an address before the Massachusetts Teacher's Association's 33rd annual meeting in Boston this week.

—Mr. Charles W. Rogers of Hunt street left Saturday for Portland, Me., where he has taken a position in a mercantile business.

—Next Monday evening the young people's chorus will rehearse at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. In a few weeks they will furnish music at the Sunday meeting.

—Miss Susan Whiting of Hunnewell hill will be in charge of the Newton table at the Women's Suffrage Fair to be held in Tremont Temple, Boston, next month.

—The Channing Union will meet next Sunday evening at 6.45 instead of at the usual hour 7.30. Subject, "Our Puritan Forefathers." All are cordially invited.

—The next regular meeting of the Newton Single Tax Club and Club will be held at 230 Bellevue street, Monday evening, Nov. 28th, at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

—Mr. George S. Newcomb, who was badly injured in an electric car accident at Tremont street two weeks ago, is recovering from his injuries and is reported as improving in health.

—The last lecture of Mr. Vincent's course at the chapel of Eliot church will be upon "Balzac." The lecturer has a most happy way of combining information, sound criticism and amusement.

—Mrs. M. T. Goddard of Waverley avenue was awarded 3rd prize for Baldwin apples and red cabbage at the prize exhibit of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society in Boston, last Saturday.

—Miss Leonard and Miss Macomber have an exhibition and sale of Decorated china and water colors, in the new Cladin building, 815 Washington street, Newtonville, Dec. 1, 2 and 3, from 2 till 9.30 p. m.

—Mrs. William Brazier died this morning after a long illness at her home on Neponset place. She had long been a resident of Newton and leaves three children, Mrs. E. F. Smallwood, Mrs. Bartlett of Boston and Mr. George Brazier.

—A novel and interesting program has been provided for the boys at the Y. M. C. A. for next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. It will be called "Game Carnival," five parlor games will be played each evening; an entertainment by the Boy's Glee Club will be given the second evening and a supper on the third. Fifteen prizes will be awarded.

—The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lentell of Wellesley Hills, formerly of Newton, was celebrated at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George B. Dowley, 55 Arlington street, Hyde Park, Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lentell were the recipients of many presents. Their seven children, who are all married were present.

—Last evening in Armory hall a successful dance was given by the Newton Social Club and enjoyed by about 300 members and their guests. The floor was in charge of W. P. Swasey, assisted by C. B. Dorsey, J. T. Joyce, J. T. Burns, M. O. Gallagher, J. F. Connors, J. J. Morrissey, Chas. M. Naught, W. Leakey, W. H. Thomas, J. J. Sullivan, E. J. Glancey, P. G. Lyons, E. Nolan, T. Trainor and E. J. Kinchella.

—Wednesday evening took place the marriage of Miss Jennie McQuillan of this place and Mr. Charles Connon of Dedham. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Gilfeather at the parochial residence. Miss Alice McKeown acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Charles Wilkins as best man. A reception followed at the residence of Mr. John Joyce on Thornton street where Mr. and Mrs. Connon received the congratulations of a large number of friends.

tions of a large number of friends. After a wedding trip they will reside in Dedham.

—The postponed regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 3 p. m. Mr. P. H. Tucker, president of the association, will address the meeting.

—The men's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. 4 p. m., Sunday, will be in charge of Rev. C. E. Holmes, pastor of the M. E. church. Mrs. Geo. W. Barber will sing and A. Harold Handly, cornet player, will render "The Holy City."

—Otis Brothers are to build one of the largest business blocks in Watertown for their increasing business. The firm find that it pays to advertise, and their bargains announced in the GRAPHIC have brought them a large trade from Newton.

—About 200 attended the Union Thanksgiving service yesterday morning in the Methodist church. The order of services was as follows: Organ prelude, anthem by church quartet, reading of Thanksgiving Day proclamation by Rev. C. E. Holmes, hymn, scripture reading by Rev. F. B. Hornbrook, prayer by Rev. George E. Merrill, response, sermon by Rev. W. H. Davis on "The Value of Inequality," prayer, benediction and organ postlude.

—Music in Eliot church next Sunday:

MORNING.
Organ prelude, Mendelssohn
Anthem, "O Lamb of God," Whitney
Quartet, "Jesus, I my Cross have taken," Schmecker
Organ postlude, Rheinberger

EVENING, 7.30.
Organ prelude, DeBota
Anthem, "I will Magnify Thee," King Hall
Quartet, "I do not ask, O Lord," Batiste
Organ postlude, Batiste

—A large and critical audience was present Monday evening at the first meeting of the year of the Emerson and Browning Club of Waltham, to hear Mrs. Walter Hunnewell Stearns recite "A Silent Voice," a play by Lawrence Alma Tadema. It is a work of the highest order, abounding in delicacy of sentiment which were most faithfully expressed. The shading and expression of the fine character represented was especially fine. That she made her characters live was the opinion of all. A social hour and tea followed when Mrs. Stearns received congratulations from all present on the growth of her work.

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Bold Burglars.

The active operations of thieves in Newton last evening have caused no little sensation in that part of the city. Some time late yesterday afternoon or very early in the evening, four houses were entered and thoroughly ransacked. In every case the intruders managed to secure a large amount of booty.

Shortly before 7 o'clock, E. F. Hayward, who lives with George H. Wright on Tremont street, returned home, and found that in the absence of the family the house had been entered by breaking a pane of glass in a front window, and turning the window fastening. The house was thoroughly ransacked. The contents of bureau drawers and closets were turned out on the floor, and the entire house was in confusion. A large quantity of silverware, clothing and jewelry, valued at \$800, and a small sum of money was stolen.

About 8.30 o'clock Mr. Samuel S. Whitney of Elmwood street returned home with his family to find that his house had been entered in his absence, and a quantity of jewelry taken. The thieves had forced an entrance through a rear window.

Two hours later Mr. Chas. Hunt, whose residence is within a few doors of Mr. Wright on Tremont street, discovered that his house had been broken into, and jewelry valued at about \$500 taken. Entrance was effected by forcing a window catch on the piazza.

The house of S. G. Howes was also entered, and 18 silver spoons, 2 gold spoons, a diamond pin, and some money were taken.

It is the opinion of the police that the jobs were done just about dusk. Evidently the thieves were aware of the absence of the occupants of each house, and managed the work successfully.

For Mrs. Martin.

To the Editor of the Graphic—

The election of Mrs. Mary R. Martin to the School Board is a matter of concern to all Newton, and not merely to any one section. Her defeat would mean not only the loss of one of our two women representatives upon the school committee, but the loss of a woman of superior fitness who stand for the best interests of education throughout our city. By her defeat the cause of manual training in our schools would lose a staunch champion and the primary schools and kindergartens such service as only a woman of tact, ability, and motherliness can render.

Mrs. Martin represents and with uncommon sense labors for whatever is best and most truly progressive in education, and her long experience on the board would alone make her place hard to fill. Two women on our school committee of fourteen members are surely not too many, and women who are qualified for the work and who can and will serve, are far too rare.

Will not every man and woman in Newton who has at heart the best of our schools, do all possible to re-elect Mrs. Martin?

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CITY GOVERNMENT.

BOTH BRANCHES DISCUSS APPROPRIATION BUDGET UNTIL LONG AFTER MIDNIGHT—DECIDE TO REDUCE THE AMOUNT \$4,916—OTHER IMPORTANT BUSINESS.

Monday evening's session of both branches was by far the most important and the longest of the year. The annual budget of appropriations was the main topic for consideration, and it was long after midnight before either branch had finished its task. In the board of aldermen there were no absentees, and all members of the council, with the exception of Councilman Billings, were present.

HEARINGS.

Both boards assembled in joint convention at 8.10 o'clock, and listened to several minor hearings. The first was on the laying out of Clinton street, which was opposed by Miss Nellie O'Leary. She spoke of the damage that had been caused her property by past work on the street, which she thought ought to be remedied. She did not think it necessary to widen the street.

Several hearings followed on these petitions, and as no one appeared they were immediately closed. Laying out Rockledge road, laying out Woodcliff road, rounding corner of Davis and Chestnut streets, taking land for sewer on Alden street, taking land for sewer on Capital street, taking land for sewer on Washburn street.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The first business was a hearing on the petition of the telephone company for locations on Beacon and Washington streets. As no one appeared the hearing was closed.

The following petitions were received and disposed of as follows: Telephone company for right to use poles of the Newton & Boston Street Railway, hearing assigned Dec. 7; Fannie E. Long, intelligence office, granted; D. H. McKenney, pool tables, leave to withdraw; Susan Rolins to move building from Fuller to Hicks street, granted; concrete crossings on Walker street, highway committee; concrete sidewalks on Channing street, highway committee; three street lights on Somerset road, street light committee; laying out, grading, and acceptance of Somerset road, highway committee; laying out, grading and acceptance of Islington street, highway committee; street lamp, Nevada street, street light committee; plank walk, Clinton place, Newton Centre, highway committee.

Several communications were received from Inspector of Buildings G. H. Elder in regard to violations of the building ordinance, and referred to the license committee.

James McDermott for permission to construct frame buildings in Ward Five, and C. A. Cole adding to building at West Newton, license committee.

These petitions were presented in the common council: For a concrete crossing on River street, highway committee; street lights on Germaine street and Gerard court, street light committee; one gutter on Oxford road, highway committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS AND ORDERS.

It was voted to grant the Commonwealth Avenue Street Railway's petition for permission to construct waiting sheds at the eastern terminus, and at the junction of Washington street and the boulevard.

The petitioners, who asked for street lights on Crafts street and Central avenue were granted leave to withdraw.

A report was presented by Alderman White for the finance committee, recommending that various sewer loans, amounting to \$164,000, be extended to the full limit of 40 years. An order was adopted in accordance with the report of the committee.

An order presented by Alderman Hobart was adopted, requiring the mayor to petition the next general court for authority to issue additional water bonds to the amount of \$500,000.

An order was adopted authorizing the mayor to make such changes as seem necessary in the method of keeping the accounts of the city, at an expense not to exceed \$500.

The city treasurer was authorized to pay over to the sinking fund commission \$164,512, received from sewer assessments and other sources.

The construction of street lights on Centre, Chestnut and Nevada streets was ordered.

Also that the southeasterly corner of Webster and Rowe streets, and the northeast corner of Chestnut and Davis streets be rounded.

Authorizing the laying out of Rockledge and Woodcliff roads, and the construction of sewers on Alden, Capitol, Washburn, and Watertown streets.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Nearly all the concurrent business on the docket went through without discussion with the exception of an order reimbursing \$1,145 to the city engineer for expenditures under the order of the post-office department for street numbering.

Councilman Lyman was opposed to its passage; he did not think it a legitimate expenditure but simply making the money tell twice. City Engineer Woods and his assistant, Mr. Morse, were questioned in regard to the expenditure, and explained that the amount was necessary to cover the cost of extra help, and new plans for this particular work. The order was adopted in concurrence.

The order appropriating \$1000 to cover the cost of land damages caused by the laying out of Appleton street came back from the aldermen in non-concurrence, they having refused to refer it back to the highway committee for further consideration.

Councilman Potter said, the council, he thought, was entitled to an explanation. He had understood from Mr. Hothell that these parties had no legal claim against the city.

It was suggested by other members that judgment had been rendered against the city, and the amount would have to be paid.

The matter was laid on the table with a motion that the city solicitor be present at the next meeting of the council, that the matter might be further explained.

The order authorizing the city treasurer to pay over to the sinking fund commissioners \$164,512, received from sewer assessment and other sources, was the cause of a lively discussion. The several orders covering the amount were finally passed.

In the common council the principal business was the consideration of the appropriation budget reported by the finance committee.

The report of the committee called for appropriations for the various departments aggregating \$1,086,400, against \$965,471 appropriated a year ago. The recommendations of the several committees called for an appropriation of \$1,122,850.

Both boards considered the appropriations in committee of the whole. In the board of aldermen very few changes from the committee's report were made, most of the increased appropriations being to meet the naturally increased expenses of the various departments.

The receipts of the city outside of taxes are estimated at \$235,850.

health \$22,000; engineers' department \$12,000; fire department \$48,000; high school \$131,000; interest accounts \$233,384; poor department \$14,350; assessors \$12,500; police department \$69,210; public property \$12,000; city hall salaries \$27,000; schools \$171,000; sinking fund account \$120,500; street lights \$31,400; hydrants \$16,200; water department \$21,000; watering streets \$20,000.

When the budget was taken up for discussion Councilman Dana spoke on the advisability of postponing its consideration for several days so that the members might have time to look up the separate items, and therefore be more prepared to discuss them. The members, he said, had just received the budget, and had but little information of the different expenditures except in their own departments.

Councilman Lowell favored the plan, and thought the members could improve their knowledge of the different appropriations in the meantime.

Councilman Nagle explained that it was necessary to take up the matter at once. Councilman Whittlesey was also in favor of immediate consideration of the budget. It was decided to continue as arranged.

Councilman Lyman moved the board as a committee of the whole go into executive session.

Councilman Potter was opposed, saying he was prepared to have the entire city hear what he had to say regarding the matter.

At this point a question was raised as to the right of the committee going into executive session. It was found, however, that the board had this right.

The discussion was continued and Councilman Lyman spoke in support of his motion. Councilman Dana was opposed to it, as was Councilman Potter.

The motion was put and failed to pass. After the council had decided to run through the items, and check each item they wished to discuss, the first item taken up was that of salary of clerk of the board of assessors.

Mr. Miner's abilities were informally discussed pro and con for about a half hour. Mr. Hadlock failed to see how Mr. Miner could hold his position as an assessor and also as a clerk and perform both duties faithfully.

Mr. Whittlesey said Mr. Miner's long experience with the city work had made him invaluable. His long experience was commensurate with increasing and he possessed information that could not be bought.

Councilman Nagle spoke also of Mr. Miner's good qualities and efficiency. Several other members of the board expressed their views in favor of retaining him. Opinion seemed divided, whether the office was worth the salary. The question on the motion that it be allowed to remain \$1200 as clerk was put and the motion failed to pass by a vote of 6 to 5.

On motion of Councilman Hadlock it was voted to reduce the salary to \$1000. The vote in favor of this was 7 to 5. Mr. Miner will receive in addition his salary as assessor, which is \$1000.

The question of office expenses in the assessors' department was next considered, and on motion of Councilman Lyman it was reduced from \$200 to \$250.

The appropriation of \$600 for the block system was transferred from the assessors' department to that of the city engineer.

The board of health's appropriation of \$17,000, next in order, was considered. Agent Brimblecom said that the increase of \$500 over last year was made necessary by the order of the state providing for medical inspection of schools and for additional work on the ash removal contract.

This was passed over without change. The appropriation for burial grounds, which called for \$200 for the work and \$200 for the salaries of the workers, was next to fall under the official axes.

Councilman Lyman showed that the duties came under those of the street commissioner, and he thought the amount of \$200 salary could be dispensed with.

This opinion seemed quite general and the appropriation was reduced from \$400 to \$200.

The city engineer's department failed to escape the eye of the economical members, and as a result the salaries of two assistants, two transit men, two rod men, two axemen, two draughtsmen and stenographer placed at \$7,000, was cut to \$6,800, the same as last year. The maintenance of two horses, two wagons and horse hire was placed at last year's figures, \$800, a cut of \$150 from the \$950 asked for.

Councilman Lyman criticised some of the department's work in connection with laying out grades of sidewalk construction.

The salary of the street commissioner at \$3200 was marked for discussion, but it was shown that his duties would be increased materially. The amount was allowed to remain.

General repairs and sidewalks and street crossings occasioned brief discussion and were allowed to remain \$87,000 and \$20,000 respectively.

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\$145,804 was considered too high and changed to \$135,000. Mr. Niles of the finance committee said he understood that an increase would be made in the number of teachers, that the salary of several would be increased, and would also the janitor service. He stated that he had been informed that the percentage of increase in the appropriation equalled that of the number of scholars.

Councilman Whittlesey was for cutting the amount to last year's amount.

Councilman Dana thought the items should be considered, and these were given by Councilman Warren.

After further discussion it was voted to cut the amount to \$135,000.

Councilman Warren said he thought the appropriation for the street light department could be cut. There was plenty of opportunity to save a considerable amount. He did not care to give his reasons in open committee.

It was decided, as Mr. Warren was a member of the street light committee, that his reasons would probably be forthrightly stated, and the amount was cut from \$51,100 to \$47,000.

The amount for water maintenance was increased from \$15,000 to \$15,700.

AFTER FULL CONSIDERATION the changes made simply reduced the budget to \$1,081,484.27, by the subtraction of \$4,916.27. The amount recommended by the finance committee was \$1,086,400.27. The amount decided upon is an increase of \$56,013.25 over the appropriation of last year.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES.

CHICAGO SCHOOL TEACHERS PRESENT THE QUESTION IN A STRIKING WAY.

The last issue of the Journal of Education presents the question of the unfairness in the salaries of different classes of teachers in a very striking way, and the same inequality exists in Newton. The extract is as follows:

"The Chicago Public School Teachers' Federation, Elizabeth K. Burdick, president, made this argument before the board of aldermen through the president: 'There are 230,000 children being educated in this city, and being educated in a manner that has placed the Chicago schools away above those of almost every other city in the country. Who is performing this great work? Is it Superintendent Lane, who gets \$4000? Is it the assistants, who get \$1500 to \$3000? Is it the special teachers, who get from \$1200 to \$1600? Is it the principals, who get from \$2500 to \$3000? No; it is the 4500 grade teachers, who, no matter how faithful and efficient they may be, and no matter how long they have been in the service, will never receive over \$800. Take the special teachers in drawing and music, who receive from \$1000 to \$1600. Do you suppose it is they who teach the bulk of the children? No; it is the grade teachers; they pay us a formal visit once a month, and in the meanwhile I do all the teaching in drawing and music. I do not blame them, understand, for they cannot come often. But it is true all the same, that they get the money and I do the work. At present the grade teacher is started at \$500, which is increased year by year for seven years in the primary schools to \$800, and in the grammar schools to \$850. What do we want? We want the grade teachers in primary and grammar schools alike to begin at \$500, which shall be increased from year to year for eight years to \$1000. Our position is that if a good grade teacher is worth anything, she is worth \$1000. Moreover, on the pitiful salary she now gets, how is she to keep up her studies, improve her mind, and take the necessary recreation in the summer?'"

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HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

THE CONTRIBUTIONS SAID TO HAVE BEEN VERY GENEROUS.

The responses to the call for contributions for the Newton Hospital, last Sunday, at the various churches, are said to have been very generous, although the exact amount given can not be stated until all the returns are made to the treasurer.

The announcement is made of generous gifts from individuals, towards much needed repairs and buildings, so that the hospital can be prepared to meet all the demands made upon it.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Haskell and Mr. D. R. Emerson will build a model operating theatre and recovery rooms. Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Leonard have decided to build a surgical ward in connection with the operating theatre which will be named after the late Mrs. Eldredge, who was the largest individual contributor to the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dennison will erect a ward for children as a memorial to one of their little ones, who was taken from them. In addition, Mr. Edwin L. Pickard of Auburndale and others will make liberal contributions to defray the cost of the connecting corridors, all the different wards of the hospital, old and new, being connected by long corridors, combining efficiency of administration with abundance of ventilation.

The work of excavating the foundations for these additions is now in progress, and the buildings are to be put up in the spring.

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Mrs. Pinkham Counsels Young Wives to Keep Their Attractiveness. A Letter From a Young Wife.

Seven-eighths of the men in this world marry a woman because she is beautiful in their eyes.

What a disappointment then to see the fair young wife's beauty fading away before a year passes over her head!

I feel as if I would like to say to every young woman who is about to be married—"Strengthen yourself in advance, so that you will not break down under the new strain on your powers." Keep your beauty, it is a precious possession! Your husband loves your beauty, he is proud to be seen in public with you; try to keep it for his sake, and your own.

The pale cheeks, the dark shadows under the eyes, the general drooping of the young wife's form, what do they mean? They mean that her nerves are failing, that her strength is going and that something must be done to help her through the coming trials of maternity.

Build her up at once by a course of some tonic with specific powers. Such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You can get it at any druggist's.

Following we publish by request a letter from a young wife—of her own accord she addresses it to her "suffering sisters," and while from modesty she asks to withhold her name, she gives her initials and street number in Chambersburg, Pa., so she can easily be found personally or by letter:

To my Suffering Sisters:—Let me write this for your benefit, telling you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I am but nineteen and suffered with painful menstruation, leucorrhoea, dizziness, burning sensation back of ears and on top of my head, nervousness, pain and soreness of muscles, bearing-down pains, could not sleep well, was unable to stand without pain, and oh! how I longed to be well!

One day I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham telling her all, knowing I could do so in perfect confidence. She wrote me a lovely letter in reply, telling me exactly what to do. After taking nine bottles of the Compound, one box of Liver pills, and using one-half package of Sanative wash, I can say I am cured. I am so happy, and owe my happiness to none other than Mrs. Pinkham.

Why will women suffer when help is near? Let me, as one who has had some experience, urge all suffering women, especially young wives, to seek Mrs. Pinkham's advice.—Mrs. R. S. R., 113 E. Catherine St., Chambersburg, Pa.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATING CONVENTION

MAYOR COBB RENOMINATED WITHOUT A CONTEST—ONLY TWO DISAGREEMENTS IN WARD ONE, WHICH WERE QUICKLY SETTLED.

The Newton Republican convention to nominate a candidate for mayor, 14 aldermen at large, seven to serve one year and seven to serve two, and four members of the school committee, was held last Tuesday night in the City Hall. Robert H. Gardner was chairman, and E. W. Bailey secretary. A committee on credentials, composed of W. H. B. Dowse, N. H. Chadwick and Reuben Forknall reported 35 delegates present.

Contrary to expectation the meeting was very harmonious, the only contest being over the selection of candidates for aldermen for one year from Ward 1 and a candidate for the school board for three years from the same ward, and although the Ward 1 delegation was badly split one ballot sufficed.

Hon. John A. Fenno presented the name of Hon. Henry E. Cobb as a candidate for mayor as the unanimous choice of the citizens of Newton, and the man best fitted to organize the city government under the new charter.

The duties next year will be more than usual, said Mr. Fenno. Next year the new charter is to be enforced, and upon those candidates who are elected will devolve the duties of starting the machinery and seeing its operations successful. The duties of the mayor will be increased and especially arduous. The requirements of the executive office, and the solution of important public problems require at this time the mayor to be a man of great executive ability. Such a man is Hon. Henry E. Cobb. I therefore take great pleasure in nominating Henry E. Cobb.

The nomination was made unanimous by acclamation, and Messrs G. S. Smith, Hon. G. D. Gilman and G. A. Weed were appointed a committee to wait upon Mayor Cobb and request his presence.

The Ward 1 delegation unanimously presented the name of Jesse C. Ivy as alderman-at-large for two years. The nomination was made unanimous. The majority of the delegates presented the name of John S. Potter as alderman-at-large for one year, and the minority that of J. T. Langford. For school committee the Ward 1 delegation was unanimous in presenting the name of Rev. Francis B. Hornbrook for four years. The majority favored John A. Hamilton for three years and the minority Lewis E. Coffin.

On motion of Mr. Edward O. Childs it was voted to nominate those from each ward upon whom the committee had agreed. This was done and nothing but the Ward One contest was brought out.

Chairman Brackett of that delegation said a majority favored J. S. Potter. Mr. Childs said he was glad to know how the majority felt at this time. Twenty-four hours ago they had favored Alderman Downs, whom he understood had decided to withdraw. I nominate, said Mr. Childs, a man eminently qualified, and whom we feel the best one to serve the city in that capacity from Ward One, Mr. John T. Langford.

Mr. Brackett spoke further in favor of Councilman Potter's nomination, which he hoped would pass.

A vote was taken which resulted, J. S. Potter 19, J. T. Langford 16.

Dr. Seales nominated ex-Alderman J. A. Hamilton as member of the school committee from Newton for three years. He spoke of Mr. Hamilton's good qualities and his faithful service in the board of aldermen.

Mr. Childs—I see a ticket in the field with the name of W. E. Harding for school board. This has come up without the knowledge of the delegation. I know Mr. Harding and think he would not care to have his name used. The delegation is divided upon the names of Coffin and Hamilton, and what the object of this third ballot is I don't know.

Mr. Brackett endorsed Mr. Coffin's nomination.

On motion of Mr. Weed, Ward 7, it was voted that the delegates declare themselves. This being done it was shown that a majority favored Mr. Hamilton.

The ballots were then cast and the vote resulted, J. A. Hamilton 22, and L. E. Coffin 13.

There was no contest in Ward 2. The complete ticket is as follows: Mayor—Henry E. Cobb.

Aldermen-at-large for one year—Ward 1, John S. Potter; Ward 2, E. D. Van Tassel; Ward 3, George D. Davis; Ward 4, J. Frank Lyman; Ward 5, J. H. Ward; Ward 6, Alfred E. Alvord; Ward 7, J. M. Niles.

School board for four years—Ward 1, Rev. Francis B. Hornbrook; Ward 2, Frank T. Benner.

School board for three years—Ward 1, John A. Hamilton; Ward 2, Charles F. Avery.

Mayor Cobb in accepting the nomination said in brief: Gentlemen, I wish to thank you for this cordial reception. For this opportunity to serve the city for a third term, I assure you I am honored when nominated for the best office. No city averages higher in the commonwealth than that over which you have called me to preside. The first year I was nominated it was an experiment, the second, that which is conferred upon every citizen who has filled the office his first term faithfully. The third term is one which I highly appreciate, and feel highly grateful for. I wish also to acknowledge my appreciation of the sympathy and co-operation of the city council members who have worked with me. The best of will has existed between the aldermen, the council and myself.

I will endeavor to serve you to the best interests of the city, and I hope that you, when I lay down my staff, may be fully satisfied with all I have done.

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The Newton Blue Book.

The Newton Blue Book has been delivered to subscribers, this week, and extra copies can be had of the newsdealers. It is a handsomely bound, gilt edged volume, printed on heavy paper, and gives a list of the leading residents, societies, etc., with an accurate street directory and map, all for the low price of one dollar.

The directory is only issued once in two years, and is now rather out of date, with the numerous changes that have taken place since it was issued. The Blue Book will be found to fill the gap very satisfactorily and is a necessity to those who wish to keep informed about Newton. This volume is the eighth in the series, and is some 50 pages larger than the last one, which show how fast Newton is growing. An innovation, this year, is the plan of seats of the principal Boston theatres, with numbers and letterings, which will be a great convenience for theatre goers.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton turn from a southern tour they will reside at 15 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain.

John Damphy has moved into his new house on Walnut street.

Mrs. J. H. Sanborn of Chase street is in Avon, N. Y., on a visit.

Mr. Andrew A. Freeman has completed his new house on Beecher place.

Mr. G. A. Martell of the Theological Institution, went to Cambridge for a visit this week.

Miss Ella Hood of Albany avenue is visiting her sister in West Gardener, Mass., this week.

Mr. G. T. Wood and family, formerly of Elgin street, have removed to Newton Highlands this week.

Rev. Dr. Dow occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church last Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor.

Mr. George E. Bradford, who has been a guest of Mr. Payzante, left this week for his home in Haverhill, Mass.

The Rebecca Whist Club met Monday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Bemis on Lyman street.

Mr. W. S. Appleton and family, who make their summer home at Oak Hill, left this week to open their Boston winter residence.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold an apron sale December 1st, for which they are now making extensive preparations.

Business men's classes for religious study have been recently formed in connection with the Sunday schools at the First Congregational and Baptist churches.

The annual entertainment of the Singers is being looked forward to with interest by a large number of their enthusiastic admirers. The program and date, it is said, will soon be announced.

Notwithstanding the storm last Saturday afternoon, about thirty children went to hear the Nutcracker and the Mouse King at Mrs. Bird's. The fairy story was read by Miss Edith Smith and Reinke music played by Mrs. Bird and Miss Spear.

The first in the series of emergency lectures at the Unitarian church was given Tuesday evening by Dr. G. E. May. There was a good attendance and the address proved very interesting. Next Monday evening Dr. G. L. West will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Carey, formerly of Oak Hill, now of Medfield, were agreeably surprised last Friday by their 10th anniversary. They were both 50 years of age, and their marriage, it being the 50th anniversary of their marriage. They were well remembered in the way of presents.

At the annual meeting of the Newton Centre Golf Club last week the following officers were elected: Pres., Geo. E. Gilbert; Vice-Pres., E. M. Noyes; Sec'y., A. Tilney; Treas., D. T. Kidder, Jr.; G. W. Com., A. T. Clark, G. E. Warren, G. L. West. A junior membership between the ages of 12 and 16 was established and the number of regular members reduced from 18 to 12. The various reports showed the club to be in a very flourishing condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dumaresq delayed going over to New York until Thursday night of last week that they might celebrate the 21st birthday of their son, Mr. Jordan Dumaresq, by giving a small informal dance at their home, "Rocky Ledge," Chestnut Hill. Dancing began in good earnest after the supper, which was served at 10.30, and was kept up until the small hours. Two large barges filled with young Mr. Dumaresq's classmates from Harvard arrived from Cambridge early in the evening. It was a handsome affair in every way, and very jolly.

Dec. 1st marks the fiftieth anniversary of the installation of Rev. D. L. Furber, D. D., as pastor of the First Congregational church, in Newton. At the request of many friends he will repeat next Sunday morning, Nov. 28, a sermon delivered by him on the same subject fifty years ago.

Sunday morning, Dec. 5, he will deliver an address, commenting on some changes which have occurred during his long pastorate. Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 8, there will be an anniversary celebration at the church with addresses by old friends and a reception in the evening.

A large and enthusiastic company made up of members of the Hale Union and their friends enjoyed the productions of those very entertaining farces, "My Uncle's Will" and "A Happy Pair," given by several clever amateurs in the parlors of the Unitarian church, last Monday evening.

In addition to the plays several well rendered musical selections from El Capitán, Fanchon and Wan were given by the Unitarian orchestra, composed of Miss Ferry, Mr. Boyd, Mr. Fellows, violins, Miss Wheelock, piano, and Mr. Williams, cornet. The music was especially good, and greatly helped the dramatic work on former occasions. The dramatic ability shown in the plays quite surprised the friends of the actors, and each character filled his and her role with an easy and graceful manner. The parts were in very capable hands, and the first appearance on the stage of each member of the cast was the signal for a storm of applause. The second piece was perhaps the most popular of the two, and the work of the different artists left little to be desired. The casts:

MY UNCLE'S WILL. Florence Marigold, Miss G. Roffe, Charles Cashmore, Mr. C. F. Johnson, Jr., Mr. Barker, Mr. A. C. Ferry.

A HAPPY PAIR. Mrs. Honeyton, Miss Elizabeth Loring, Mr. Honeyton, Mr. H. A. Tomlinson.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

On Monday next for his third week's bill Mr. Willard will appear for the first time in Boston in the character of David Garrick, an especially interesting romantic event and also a source of much interest among his many friends in Boston. A new Garrick is always hailed with much expectancy, and from the notices Mr. Willard received on his first appearance in the character of Garrick, N. Y., on Nov. 12th, there is no doubt a great artistic treat is in store for Boston playgoers next week.

The audiences to see "Tom Pinch" this week have tested the capacity of the Tremont, and the advance sale for David Garrick foretells another big week. The company supporting Mr. Willard in David Garrick will consist of Miss Maud Hoffman, Miss Agnes Lewis, Mrs. H. Cane, Messrs. H. Cane, J. G. Taylor, H. G. Lonsdale, S. Rignold, H. Barfoot, Bromley Davenport and Verner Clarges. Special attention has been given to the careful costuming of the play which is elaborate and historically correct; in its entirety of stage settings, cast and general perfection of production, this will be one of the most notable performances of David Garrick ever given in Boston. The play will be preceded by a one act comedy entitled "The Intervenor" in which Mr. Oswald Yorke and Miss Keith Wakeman will appear. Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given, and next week the play will only be played for the one week as other changes of bill are in contemplation.

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POSTOFFICE KINKS.

Of Disputed Points Call For Ruling Which the Public Seem to See.

In the administration of every postoffice there are bound to arise differences between the authorities and the public which have to be referred to Washington for adjustment. There rules are made which will fit the grievances, but the public generally knows little about these minor regulations. They are promulgated, of course, in the annual Postoffice Guide, but who ever reads that, except for the location of offices and the classification of mail matter? A man may suspect that his wife is renting a postoffice box from which to get clandestine mail, but he can't prove it by the postoffice, for the employees are forbidden to tell the name of any person who rents a box or drawer. The Press has noted from time to time some of the odd and least understood of the newer rules, and it adds here some others from the latest monthly supplement of the Guide.

Soldiers, sailors and marines in the active service of the United States are the only persons in the country who can send their mail C. O. D. If their letters are marked "soldier's letter," "sailor's letter" or "marine's letter," as the case may be, and under these words appears the signature of the commanding officer, the postage, but at single rates only, will be collected on delivery.

It's queer, but if there is postage due on a letter the postmaster cannot lawfully accept postage stamps in payment. The only legal tender in such a case is money.

It is possible that the New York post office authorities have overlooked the general rule for postmasters in the conduct of their offices which states: "It is important that mail matter be postmarked in a perfect manner so that each letter and figure of the stamp may be distinct. A failure on the part of the postmaster to postmark mail legibly not only reflects upon the management of his office, but renders him liable to be charged with delays which have not actually occurred at his office."

Not only are postmasters forbidden to furnish lists of persons receiving mail from their postoffices, but the wives and families of the postmaster are also forbidden to tell what the head of the family may have mentioned. As to the members of his family, the enforcement of the prohibition is left with the postmaster.—New York Press.

KITES PUZZLED BY KITES.

Other Big Birds, Too, Affected in the Same Way.

Many amusing experiences have been the lot of the scientists who have been manipulating kites for scientific purposes. Large birds are always interested in the strange devices floating in the air and cannot quite make out what they are. Prompted by sharp curiosity they hover around the floating kite and subject themselves to the danger of becoming entangled in the string and being dragged down to earth.

No bird, however, has ever alighted on a kite or attacked one. While one scientist was flying a train of five kites a couple of years ago a large silver tipped eagle came suddenly out of the higher air and swooped round and round the first kite, looking against the sunset sky like a huge silver ball. As the train of kites was pulled in the eagle followed, visiting one kite and then another, seeming uncertain just what to do. In a few minutes, when he seemed to have decided that they were not good to eat and he knew nothing about them anyway, he indignantly flew off and was lost to view.

Another experience was had with a stork that came from the New Jersey side of the Hudson and flew straight for the queer object in the air. He apparently had made up his mind to go straight through it, but changed and dived underneath. He went around and above it, and through a glass it could be seen that he cocked his eye at the intruder in a most comical manner. He started away a few hundred feet, changed his mind and came sweeping back. He finally reluctantly went away, mystified over this queer addition to the inhabitants of the air.

While kites were high in the air one March flock of geese flying in the V wedge flew over. They invariably stopped, broke up and hovered about the queer object and at last flew away. While the larger birds all come from heights above the kites, the small birds of the air will alight on the string holding the kite and sway to and fro.—Chicago News.

Wellington and Napoleon's Horses. The horse that the Duke of Wellington rode at Waterloo was named Copenhagen. When the fearful battle was over, the horse appeared to sympathize with and appreciate his master's success, for when the duke arrived at headquarters, and, after tossing the bridle reins to a groom, dismounted, the horse kicked up his heels in an apparent ecstasy of delight, saying as clearly as it is possible for a horse to say anything, "Tired as I am, I will make you see that I as well as the rest can show my joy in the victory which my master has achieved."

The duke saw to it that Copenhagen was well provided for in his old age. He had abundant rations, the best of care and was allowed to roam at will in the park at Strathfieldsaye. "His name lives with his master's, for it is linked with his history."

Napoleon when at St. Helena once said of his horse: "He has memory, knowledge and judgment. He distinguishes his master from his servants, although these are more constantly about him. I had a horse which distinguished me from the rest of the world and which manifested by his bounding and haughty gait when I was upon his back that he carried a man superior to those around him. He would not suffer any one to mount him except myself and the groom that took care of him. When I had lost my way, I threw the bridle upon his neck and let him pick his way, with the inevitable result of finding the right road."—Harper's Round Table.

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sion fee is charged must be paid for at regu-
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OUR STREET LIGHTS.

As the contract for lighting our streets
will end next year, it is hoped that some
much needed reform will be introduced,
and the street lights arranged on a more
intelligent basis.

It costs a large sum to light the streets
on the present system, as we have so
many miles of streets, but if they were
differently arranged, the cost would be no
greater, and the results would be much
more satisfactory. We have a great num-
ber of arc lights scattered about the city,
some of which are admirably placed in the
public squares, and others are so placed
at the corners of streets as to be of little
real advantage to drivers of teams or pedes-
trians. A small space is so brilliantly
lighted that everything outside of that
limited area appears in impenetrable dark-
ness. For open squares, or for a wide
boulevard like Washington street or Com-
monwealth avenue arc lights are the cor-
rect thing, if there are enough of them,
but for narrow, winding and thickly shaded
streets, such as Centre street, for in-
stance, arc lights are in most cases more
dangerous than beneficial. They make
black shadows under the trees, and the
enterprising gas or incandescent lamps can
hardly be distinguished, after the glare of
the lamps.

It is a serious mistake to mix up so
many systems of street lighting, so that
none of them are satisfactory. We have
in an adjoining town an example of a
better way, which furnishes a good object
lesson. Every one who has occasion to
drive to Wellesley from Lower Falls, in
the evening, remarks upon the excellent
and satisfactory way in which the streets
are lighted. Incandescent lamps only are
used, but they are placed near together,
and although the street is as heavily
shaded, and as crooked in parts as any in
Newton, the street is perfectly safe to
drive through at night, and there are no
dark places, such as we have under our
system.

Probably the Wellesley system costs
little if any more than ours, while it is
so much better than there is no compar-
ison between them.

Another point is the question whether
it pays to retain any of the old gas lamps.
They are so far apart that they leave a
long distance in obscurity, and in these
days of brilliant illumination it is a ques-
tion whether gas lamps can ever be made
satisfactory.

THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The only contest in the Republican con-
vention was over the nominees from Ward
One. Mayor Cobb received a unanimous
renomination, as was expected, and will
have the honor of being elected to a third
term without opposition. The only other
mayor to receive a third term was Mayor
Kimball, but he had an opposition
candidate, and was only elected after a
struggle, warmly contested. But that was
in a bygone era, and the Newton Club
did not exist then to infuse sweet-
ness and light into city politics. It is
rather difficult for men who have met in a
social way all the year to get up any great
amount of feeling in a city election, and to
change from friends to political enemies,
and the Newton Club can certainly be
credited with having eliminated most of
the sectional and partisan animosities from
city politics.

The candidates for school committee are
unexceptionable and will add strength to
the school board. Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke
has been in the board before, and he was
one of the most valuable members, and
Rev. Dr. Hamilton has seen service in the
board of aldermen, and the city is fortunate
in securing him for this position. Messrs.
Avery and Benner, the nominees from
Ward Two, will give the people two active
and wide awake representatives, and a
good deal will be expected from them, es-
pecially in their own ward.

All the caucus nominees for the board of
aldermen were put on the ticket, the only
contest being from Ward One, where the
delegates were unable to agree. They had
a first-class candidate in Mr. John T. Lang-
ford, but as he had refused to enter into
any combinations or to make any pledges,
he was passed over, and his defeat will be
a distinct loss to the city, as men of his in-
dependence and straightforward character
are needed there. As he was one of the

most active members of the charter
revision committee he would have been a
valuable authority on the provisions of the
new charter. Mr. L. E. Coffin refused to
be a candidate and the nomination
of Mr. Jesse C. Ivy by a Republican
convention came as a surprise to most
people who have known him as one
of the most active Democratic leaders
of the city, but it is one of the curiosities of
Ward One politics. Councilman John S.
Potter was chosen as the other candidate
so that the ward will have the advantage
of one experienced member.

With the exception of the Ward One con-
test the convention was entirely harmoni-
ous and the business only took a little
over an hour to transact.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

It is rather startling to the average tax-
payer to find that the appropriations for
next year are planned to exceed those of
the present year by some \$95,000. We are
used to some increase every year, and this
is expected, as the city is growing every
year, but an increase of nearly a hundred
thousand dollars puts the total appropri-
ations above the million dollar mark, and
many think this borders on extravagance.

The extra amount is made up of a num-
ber of items, \$20,000 being added for the
interest account, because of all the new
improvements which are charged to the
future, but which will cost the present
generation something. Then comes the
general appropriation for highways, with
an increase of \$14,000, and some \$29,250 for
a lot of special appropriations for certain
streets, Lexington, Central, and Hancock
streets in Auburndale, \$7,000; Chestnut
street, West Newton, \$6,750; Chestnut,
Summer and Elliot streets, Upper Falls,
\$3,000; Grant avenue and Beacon streets,
Newton Centre, \$3,500; Crafts street, \$3,000,
and Centre street \$4,000. This is a very
large increase for the highway department,
and contains a lot of jobs that have been
agitated for years, but which have been
put off until the city was in a condition to
afford the outlay. Evidently the commit-
tees who made up the appropriations think
that that time has come. It will be seen
that the special work is skillfully divided
between all the wards, so that there would
be no chance for any one to kick.

The fire department gets an increase of
some \$1500, the police department \$8000;
salaries of City Hall officials \$1000, and the
schools, \$12,000.

Judging from this appropriation bill, if it
goes through without some radical out-
down, the tax rate will be increased
rather than diminished next year, even if
we have the usual increase in taxable
property.

The dullness in the cotton goods market
is calling forth many explanations, the New
England manufacturers attributing it to
the competition of Southern mills, which
have cheaper and untrained labor. But
the Dingley bill, which aimed to cut off
trade with other countries, evidently had
some influence here. The tariff-tinkers in
their zeal for the home market, aimed to
shut off trade from other countries, and
singled out the staple exports of Canada
especially for tariff discrimination. This
of course invited retaliation, and Canada
drew up a tariff of its own, especially
directed against the United States. It is a
game that two can play at, and the follow-
ing table prepared by the Springfield Re-
publican shows in part what is the matter
with our cotton mills:

Exports of Cotton Cloth to Canada (Yards),
1897, 1896,
July, 1,477,528 3,774,754
August, 822,023 4,210,000
September, 802,805 3,997,760

The home market is of course a great
thing in itself, but when we have twice as
many mills as are needed for the supply
of the home market, some other outlet must
be found, or we shall have just the con-
dition of things that now prevails in the
cotton goods industry. As an object lesson
of the results of the Dingley bill, the
figures of our trade with Canada ought to
furnish plenty of food for reflection.

The snow storms are coming pretty
thick this year, when we have two of them
within a week, and winter has set in un-
usually early. The first snow storm came
on the 12th, and if that represents the
number of storms we are to have, as the
old saying has it, we have already had one-
fourth of them, but probably this year will
be an exception. The early cold weather
is a misfortune for Newton, as it inter-
feres with the work on the railroad bridges,
and the builders are finding it difficult to
make up for the time lost when the weather
was mild and work could easily have
been pushed. Fortunately Washington
street has been finished, so that it is open
to travel as far as the Newton railroad
bridge, but it does not look as though the
street cars from Brighton would get into
Nonantum square this winter.

The entire independent L. A. W. ticket
was elected, and Mr. Sterling Elliott seems
to have utterly smashed the machine, his
vote being 6920 to 1078 for Dorntee. The
Dorntee crowd was thoroughly beaten,
and they can have no doubt of what L. A.
W. men in this state think of their proceed-
ings. Newton Representatives elected are
Henry W. Robertson, Edward P. Burnham,
G. Fred Pond, Jr., and John W. Drown.
Every independent candidate was elected by
a majority of 3335 or more.

The disapproval of the West End lease
by the railroad commissioners has been the
sensational of the week. The reasons they
give are that it means 12 per cent. annual
dividend on common stock, and also that
10 years is too long a term to be in accord
with public policy. It is as gratifying as it
is surprising to find three men who dare to
oppose anything the West End wants, but
apparently the railroad commissioners are
not afraid.

The total of the Hospital Sunday collec-
tion is said to have been about \$6000, but
this may be increased by later contribu-
tions.

Special Features.

Buyers of next Sunday's Boston Journal
will receive the New England Illustrated
Home Magazine, and the illustrated week-
ly will be printed in colors, with pictures
of Cleo de Merode, Anna Held, and other
stage favorites, Mark Twain, and other
celebrities.

AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.
—Patrolman Wm. Butler is recovering
from his recent illness.

—Miss Helen Stewart is at home from
school spending the holidays.

—Mr. James A. Smith of Lawrence has
been a guest of friends in town this week.

—Miss Lizzie Olney of Providence, R. I.,
is the guest of relatives on Woodbine
street.

—Mr. and Mrs. James E. Keyes of Fox-
boro are visiting their son, Mr. Eliot
Keyes.

—Yesterday a meet of the Riverside Gun
Club was held on the club grounds at
Weston.

—Mr. J. G. Blaisdell of Auburn street
spent Thanksgiving with his father in New
Hampshire.

—Co. C 5th Regiment, M. V. M., held a
prize shoot on the Riverside range, yester-
day morning.

—Mr. Edward Tucker and family of
Winona street visited relatives in Shrews-
bury yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Conner of Boston
have been guests of friends on Auburndale
avenue this week.

—Mr. Stiles and family of North Cam-
bridge will next week move into their new
house on Walcott street.

—Mr. J. C. Hammond of East Douglas
spent Thanksgiving with his daughter,
Mrs. Henry R. Turner.

—The Auburndale Review club will
meet with Miss Foster, 316 Central street
on Tuesday, Nov. 30th.

—Delegates from Doholusie Lodge, A. F.
& A. M., attended the exercises of Meriden
Lodge at Natick, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Herman Wyseleski and family of
Charlestown have been visiting Mr. and
Mrs. C. G. Milham of Clark street this
week.

—There are letters in the postoffice for
Miss Bertha Burbonk, Miss Hattie Olm-
stead, Miss Leonora L. Hosea and Stephen
P. Weld.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Almy of
Portsmouth, N. H., were guests this week
of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Almy of Wood-
bine street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham en-
tertained a party of friends at the new
home on Commonwealth avenue, Friday,
of last week.

—A large number of prominent ladies
and gentlemen from this place attended
the informal dance given in Freeman hall,
Lower Falls, Tuesday evening.

—Mr. Henry O. Ryder, the artist, re-
turned this week from New York city
where he has been for several months. He
is visiting at his mother's on Islington
road.

—The play of "Mr. Rob" will be given
next Wednesday and Thursday evenings
at the Episcopal chapel, also on Tuesday
afternoon at 4.15 will be given a dress re-
hearsal for children. Children's tickets are
10 cents. Evening performance 25 cts.

—Next Wednesday evening in Auburn
hall Auburndale Lodge, A. O. U. W., will
entertain delegates from Waltham, West
Newton and Newtonville Lodges. There
will be special exercises conducted by the
working teams of the visitors. The exer-
cises will be followed by a banquet.

—The Newton Boat Club is soon to hold
a "members" bowling tournament on the
club alleys. There will be six teams which
have been selected from some of the best
men. The first match is to be played with-
in two weeks, and the scores this season
will probably be some of the best ever
rolled on the club alleys.

—Wednesday evening at the home of the
bride's father on Melrose street, took place
the wedding of Patrolman William H.
Dolan and Miss Katherine G. Hanney,
daughter of Mr. B. Hanney. The ceremony
was performed by Rev. F. L. J. O'Toole.
The maid of honor was Miss Kate Hart,
and Mr. Charles Dolan, brother of the
groom, acted as best man. A reception
followed which was attended by a large
number of relatives and friends of the
young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Dolan will
reside on Prairie avenue.

SCHOOL BOARD.

BRIEF SESSION WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR
THE TRANSACTION OF ROUTINE BUSI-
NESS—SEVERAL APPOINTMENTS—\$14.
518 FOR NOVEMBER EXPENSES—PETI-
TION FROM WARD ONE RESIDENTS—
SUPT. ALDRICH REAPPOINTED.

A brief session of the school board was
held Wednesday evening. Mayor Cobb
presided and thirteen members were pres-
ent. Little business of importance was
transacted, and at 8.05 o'clock the meeting
adjourned.

Lena B. Winter was appointed an assis-
tant at the Pierce school to serve from
January 3, at a salary of \$620. Herbert J.
Chase at present at the Cambridge Latin
school was appointed master at the high
school at a salary of \$1800. Miss Gertrude
G. Tewksbury first assistant at the Adams
school at a salary of \$700.

On recommendation of the finance com-
mittee \$14.518 was appropriated for the
November expenses. It was also voted to
increase the salary of the janitors of the
Elliot and Jackson schools to \$40 a month.

Also that the Christmas recess extend
from Dec. 28 to Jan. 1.

The committee on rules was ordered to
make such amendments to the rules and
regulations as required by the new city
charter. The committee will present its
report at the December meeting.

Nonantum residents asked that a master
be appointed at the Elliot school. Referred
to the Ward 1 committee.

Anna B. Smith thanked the board for the
full amount of her salary which she re-
ceived during her illness.

A ballot was cast for the superintendent
of schools to serve the coming year, and the
count resulted in the unanimous choice of
Mr. George I. Aldrich.

MARRIED.

DAVENPORT-KIDDER—At Watertown, Nov.
17, by Rev. E. A. Rand, Charles Albert Daven-
port of Newton and Fanny Maud Kidder of
Watertown.

CLARKE-GATLEY—At West Newton, Nov.
21, Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Thomas Francis Clarke
and Della Gatley.

BARLOW-WATTS—At Newtonville, Nov. 29,
by Rev. C. S. Nicholson, Benjamin Franklin
Barlow of Newtonville and Selma S. Watts of
Chicago.

BLUE-HARDIMAN—In Newton, Nov. 19, by
Rev. Daniel Greene, Mr. William M. Blue and
Miss Della Hardiman, both of Newton.

DIED.

JOYCE—At Newton, Nov. 19, Patrick Joyce, 70
years.

HALLETT—At Newton Hospital, Nov. 19,
Lawrence T. Hallett, 18 yrs., 9 mos., 21 days.

FORRESTAL—At Newton Highlands, Nov. 21,
Mary Eliza, widow of George W. Forrestal,
69 yrs., 6 mos., 24 days.

RAYMOND—At Newton Hospital, Nov. 22,
Marshall T. son of Thatcher R. and Ella G.
Raymond, 11 yrs., 6 mos.

LAWRENCE—At Newton Centre, Nov. 23, Amos
E. Lawrence, 85 yrs., 4 mos., 29 days.

CONNELL—At Newton, Nov. 24, Margaret,
daughter of Wm. and Mary Connolly, 1 mo.,
14 days.

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Rancroft	142	116	177	435	3	12	8
Bassett	123	131	123	377	5	8	8
Pettee	116	128	124	368	5	6	11
Coggins	122	154	132	408	1	16	7
Langley	155	157	136	448	4	15	6
Team totals	658	686	602	1946	18	57	40

HIGHLAND CLUB.

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Brigham	113	108	133	354	0	11	10
Fewkes	129	133	121	383	2	11	11
Gorton	153	130	137	420	5	12	4
Waterhouse	163	120	116	409	6	13	6
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NEWTONVILLE.

—Ivers & Pond pians, Farley, Newton.

—Mrs. Ezra Sampson is home for the holidays.

—Mrs. Stiles of Court street is reported as seriously ill.

—The regular meeting of Boynton Lodge was held Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. C. P. Shirley and family have moved into their new house on Austin street.

—Vespers at the Washington Park church next Sunday at 4.45 p. m. Fine music.

—The regular meeting of Newton Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Newell of Worcester are passing the holidays with relatives here.

—General Hull Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold its regular meeting this evening in Dennison hall.

—The regular meeting of the Daughters of Veterans was held Tuesday evening in Dennison hall.

—The regular business meeting of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held in Dennison hall, last evening.

—Those who wish the very best of work should go to Thos. F. Green, hair dresser, 202 Walnut street.

—Miss C. Tancred of Boston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tancred at their home on Olin street.

—Mr. Essenden of Wakefield has leased through the Loomis Agency the Chester house on Cabot street.

—There are letters in the postoffice for J. Connelly, Mrs. M. Hajj, Mrs. E. S. Martin, and Miss Nellie Powers.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Carpenter of Albany, N. Y., are passing the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives here.

—Mr. Henry E. Sisson has accepted a position with Browning King & Co. corner of Washington and Kneeland streets, Boston.

—Boynton Lodge, U. O. I. O. L., will give a "Poverty Party" in Dennison hall, next Tuesday. A genuine good time is promised.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the M. E. church sent a Thanksgiving box to the Epworth League settlement at the north end of Boston.

—Prof. Walter's dancing class gave a Thanksgiving party in Dennison hall, Wednesday evening. A large number of guests were present and a most enjoyable evening passed.

—Miss Leonard and Miss Macomber have an exhibition and sale of decorated china and water colors, in new Claffin building, 815 Washington street, Dec. 1, 2, and 3, from 2 to 4.30 p. m.

—Rev. F. E. Hamilton is in attendance upon the Young Men's Educational Congress of the M. E. church, which convenes at Pittsburgh, Pa., this week, and before which he is to deliver an address.

—There will be a sale at the residence of Mrs. Edward P. Hatch, 69 Highland avenue, on Tuesday, Nov. 30, from 2.30 to 5.30 p. m. The proceeds are for the benefit of the chancel fund of St. John's church.

—The regular meeting of Mt. Ida Council, Royal Arcanum, was held in Dennison hall, Monday evening. Abbott Bassett, sec'y of L. A. W., gave an interesting sketch of Boston Common of twenty years ago.

—The Newton Federation of Women's Clubs will hold a reception and tea Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 in Temple hall. Each club in the federation will provide a table decorated with its respective club color.

—Mr. H. E. Sisson has sold out his tailoring business to Mr. William J. McClellan, who has been associated with him for several years. Mr. McClellan will continue business in the same rooms occupied by Mr. Sisson.

—Mr. Loomis of the Newtonville real estate exchange has leased Mr. Hartshorne's house on Cabot street to Mr. Charles B. Lewis of Boston.

—An apartment 3 on Highland Terrace to Mr. Robinson, formerly of Lowell street.

—The funeral of Mrs. Henry F. Ross was held Saturday afternoon from the residence on Walnut street. Rev. Charles S. Nickerson, pastor of the Universalist church, officiated at the obsequies. The floral tributes were very beautiful. The interment was in Newton cemetery.

—Rev. E. T. Sullivan will officiate at the St. John's church services, in Temple hall, Sunday afternoon. Master Winthrop B. Ferguson, soprano at the Church of the Advent, who was unable on account of illness to be present at the Sunday ago, has promised to sing next Sunday.

—About 10.30 o'clock last Friday evening an alarm was rung in from box 261 for a fire in the highway surveyors shanty near Bulough's pond. The shanty, being a light board structure, was almost totally destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

—The District School entertainment in the Methodist vestry on Monday evening last was very successfully carried out, as was evidenced by the crowded house which it called out and by the very substantial profits yielded. The entertainment was given by the Sunday school and the Young People's Society to help pay their subscription towards the recent improvements in the church.

—The presence of Rev. J. W. Hamilton, secretary and general agent of the Freedmen's Aid Bureau of the Methodist Episcopal church, who occupied the pulpit of his brother last Sunday, had a double interest, as an interlude in the service afforded an opportunity for the baptism of the first-born of the pastor and his wife, which ceremony was performed by "Uncle John" in an impressive manner. Edward Pierce was the baptismal name and the young man starts off with an excellent name and good sponsorship.

—In spite of the hard times, perhaps because of them, the Penny Savings System maintained by the Associated Charities, is doing a very flourishing business, chiefly among the school children. Since the first of November very nearly one hundred dollars worth of stamps have been sold at the central office. The officers are wondering whether, if postal banks are instituted by the United States government, their own business will increase or diminish. At present, much of the money saved on their cards is finally deposited in the Savings Banks.

—A listener thus refers to the Sunday Talks of Rev. Franklin E. Hamilton of the Methodist Episcopal church: "The fourth in the series of eight lectures on 'Wanderings in a far Country' was given last Sunday evening, Nov. 21, to an interesting and appreciative audience. The speaker has the happy faculty of taking his hearers along with him, investing every personality, place and thing in the range of his observation with clear cut description calculated to hold fast in memory and prove profitable in after thought and reflection. Mr. Hamilton is an effective and attractive speaker.

—A departure from the usual form of Thanksgiving service was made on Wednesday evening last in the union services held in the Universalist church. The religious services were conducted by ministers representing the different denominations of this place, together with five minute addresses by the pastors of the Swedenborgian, Congregationalist, and Universalist churches, and music was furnished by the choir of the churches represented. A good sized audience was in attendance and the whole occasion was one of interest and profit.

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—Miss Bliss of Highland avenue is convalescing after a serious illness.

—Mr. M. W. Chase and family of Austin street have returned from their summer home.

—Mr. John Q. Bird and family have returned from their summer residence at Stowe.

—Miss Carrie Blodgett is reported seriously ill with bronchitis at her home on Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. James W. Knowlton of New York are the guests of relatives here for the Thanksgiving holidays.

—His Honor, Mayor Cobb, will speak at the Washington Park church next Sunday at 4.45 p. m., subject, "The City and the Church."

—A food sale was held in the parlors of the M. E. church, Highland avenue, Saturday afternoon, under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Lockett.

—A large and appreciative audience listened to an interesting lecture by William Lloyd Garrison in the Universalist church, Monday evening.

—Mr. A. P. C. Griffin and family, formerly of Highland avenue, have moved to Washington where they will reside permanently. Mr. Griffin recently received an appointment in the Government Library.

—Rev. Dr. Gunsalus has sent in his third and final resignation of the Plymouth church, Chicago, and the church has finally accepted it. He is suffering from malarial rheumatism. He will still retain the position of president of the Armour Institute.

WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Phillip Raymond has moved into his house on Virginia road.

—John Eliot Lodge A. O. U. W. held its regular business meeting Wednesday evening.

—Mr. E. T. Wiswall has leased his house on Parsons street, to Mr. Shirley of Austin street.

—Mrs. William Beck and child of Augusta, Maine, were the guests of relatives here for a few days.

—The regular meeting of the local branch of the Legion of Honor, was held Tuesday evening in Metcalf's studio.

—Mr. J. H. Nickerson has leased his house corner of Cherry street and Raymond place, to J. Donahoe.

—Mrs. Van Duzee chooses her house on Prospect street this week, and will spend most of the winter in Philadelphia.

—Over one thousand dollars was collected at the Unitarian church Sunday morning for the benefit of the hospital fund.

—The next meeting of West Newton Women's Alliance will be held Thursday forenoon in the parlors of the Unitarian church.

—The Newton Women's Suffrage League have decided to postpone its annual meeting until about the middle of December. The date will be announced later.

—Several reading circles have been formed to meet certain afternoons and evenings during the season to study the various authors that are announced to come before the meetings of the Educational society.

—The current events class began the season's meeting last Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. N. L. Walton. A class was present, and interesting exercises were held under the leadership of Miss Amelia Davis.

—Last Friday evening, at the sociable in the Unitarian church, a pleasing play, entitled "Bachelor Maids," the production of the pen of Miss Esther Tiffany, was most successfully presented by a number of the young people of the church.

—An alarm from box 334 about 9.35 o'clock Wednesday morning was for a small fire in the residence of Dr. H. P. Belows on Putnam street. It was the result of the carelessness of a workman, who had a pair of overalls in a hot-iron box. The damage was about \$25.

—Martin Nolan, a Waltham expressman, was brought before Judge Mason in the police court Tuesday morning, charged with violating the transportation law and with illegal liquor selling. Patrolmen Conron, Kite and Dolan testified to the sale, and Sgt. Purcell presented evidence in regard to the business carried on by Nolan. The case was continued to Nov. 29.

—The Educational club will hold an extra meeting Friday afternoon, Dec. 3, in the Unitarian church parlors. Dr. Frizzle, principal of the Normal Agricultural Institute at Hampton, Va., will be present and address the society. He will be accompanied by several pupils from the institute, who will enliven the afternoon with various musical renditions. All are invited to be present.

—Miss Florence La Bree Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. L. Henderson, read at the grand concert given in Norwood on Thursday evening of last week by the Herbert Johnson Quintet. She has only recently made her appearance among professionals, but her power as a reader is remarkable. Not only are all her selections original, but she delivers them in the most natural and artistic manner possible. Her success as a reader is assured among literary circles, and one can hardly speak too highly of her wonderful ability, says the Boston Globe.

—A lecture will be given by Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, National Supt. of Scientific Temperance Instruction, in the Congregational church Tuesday evening under the auspices of the local branch of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Hunt has recently returned from abroad. She lectured before a congress of medical men in Berlin, and received the highest honors. A paper read by her in London was received with enthusiasm, and the Queen's physician spoke of it as ably and scholarly prepared. Every mother and teacher should be present to hear Mrs. Hunt's reasons for scientific temperance instruction in the schools.

—The barrel which is to be sent to Mrs. Josephine Carlyle at Birmingham, will be packed Tuesday afternoon in the Unitarian church parlors. Any clothing or other useful articles benevolent hearts wish to contribute may be sent to the church at any time Tuesday forenoon or afternoon. Mrs. Carlyle is a teacher in the Birmingham Institute, and is deeply interested in helping the colored people of that vicinity. She is a native of this place, and to her native city she instinctively turns when she knows of the necessities of her poor people. It is hoped that several barrels may be filled and forwarded to Mrs. Carlyle, who may relieve the needs of a large number.

—Helina Osburg, a nurse maid employed by a family in this place, is at the Newton Hospital suffering from injuries received in a heroic attempt to save the child in her charge from serious injury or death. She was crossing Berkeley street about 4 Monday afternoon wheeling a carriage, in which was her employer's child, when a carriage driven at a high speed swung round the corner. The driver tried to pull up his horses, but it was too late, and the girl's frantic efforts to reach a place of safety on the sidewalk were of no avail. The little perambulator was crushed between the curb and the carriage wheels. Death for the child seemed imminent, when Miss Osburg, seeing that she could not save the carriage, managed to rescue the child from under the wheels with no worse injury than a slight cut on the head. Miss Osburg, however, was not so fortunate. Her head, shoulder and right side were terribly bruised, and her injuries were regarded as

so serious that her removal to the hospital was ordered.

—Mr. H. C. Spaulding has removed from Webster street, to Boston.

—The West Newton Woman's Guild will hold its next meeting in the Congregational church parlors.

—The Newton Ladies Home Circle will hold its next meeting in the Unitarian church parlors, Wednesday, Dec. 1 at 2 p. m.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association will be held Wednesday evening at the engine house on Watertown street.

—The art class connected with the educational club, postponed their meeting until Monday, 29. It will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. G. Pratt on Highland street.

—Mr. Rob will be given under the auspices of the Church of the Messiah, Wednesday and Thursday evening, Dec. 1st and 2nd. Tickets 25 cents. Matinee for children Tuesday afternoon.

—Thanksgiving services were held in the Congregational church last Sunday morning, and an appropriate sermon was delivered by the pastor. The music by the choir was of unusual excellence.

—The West Newton Women's Educational club meet this (Friday) afternoon in the parlors of the Unitarian church. Mr. Charles H. Ames of this place will give the address, "Relative Importance of Form and Content in Poetry." Music will be under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Carter.

—The Congregational Sunday school gave a Harvest concert Sunday evening. The children brought offerings of fruit and vegetables which were tastefully arranged on the platform, and at the close of the exercises were divided and sent to the Little Wanderers Home, and Mr. Waldron the City Missionary. The pastor delivered a short sermon, and the little folks gave appropriate recitations and musical selections.

—A very pleasant affair was the sociable at the Unitarian church last Friday evening. The play entitled "Bachelor Maids," was prettily staged, and the young ladies in the cast were well chosen for their parts, they showed a good deal of the serious adaptation to the surroundings. Those who took part in the cast were, Mrs. Harry Whitmore, Miss Ethel Perrin, Miss Alice Walton, Miss Ruth Carroll and Miss Bessie Cheney. The author, Miss Esther Tiffany, was presented and was warmly congratulated on the success of the play.

—Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, National Supt. of Scientific Temperance Instruction in our public schools, will speak in the Congregational church Tuesday evening, Nov. 30, at 7.45. An eminent judge in Washington, familiar with all the great natural orators, said publicly that "Mrs. Hunt's address before the committees on education of the United States Senate, was one of the most logical and eloquent addresses ever heard in the National Capitol." (Northampton Daily Herald.) Rev. E. E. Hale, D. D. calls her work "A story of Modern Christianity" and Mr. Joseph Cook speaks of her as the "peerless" woman. All are cordially invited to come and hear her.

Lithograph Passes.

John B. Schoeffel of the Tremont Theatre, after giving the matter long and careful consideration, has decided to do away utterly, so far as his theatre is concerned, with all lithograph and window advertising, and consequently all lithograph passes. This is a move in which, at heart, almost all managers believe thoroughly. Long experience has convinced most of them that so-called "lithograph advertising" shows no profit and costs the theatre, when business is good, much more than it is worth. Manager Schoeffel would have been glad to have had the managers of the other theatres act with him in the matter, but as it was not convenient for those who believe with him to make the change at present, he determined to act independently. E. S. Willard, now playing at the Tremont, has always been opposed to a lithograph advertising, and it is not difficult to understand, therefore, that this move of Mr. Schoeffel should be quite to his taste. Mr. Schoeffel feels confident that he will have the support of all the prominent attractions appearing at the Tremont Theatre in this innovation. Duncan B. Harrison, manager of Digby Bell, says: "I am unalterably opposed to the use of lithographs as a means of advertising. It is a method that is positively fallacious as an effect to attract the public, and it is in every way detrimental and virtually useless as a motor to draw attention to the attractions of a theatre. I, for one, shall never again use the lithograph medium, but intend to curtail my window and wall advertising to block printing announcements, and appeal directly to my public through the medium of the press and their advertising columns."

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REAL ESTATE.

Mrs. Charles F. Ford has sold through the office of Bowker, Gay & Wills, about 100,000 square feet of land situated on Cornell street, near Newbury Lower Falls, to Miss Sears of Boston, who will probably make arrangements to develop shortly. They have also sold for Charles H. Tilton the 10 room house, with 15,000 square feet of land, situated in Indian Springs Park, Wellesley Farms, to Mr. Charles F. Ford of New Can. This estate is situated on the corner of Glen road and the Waterway, and is a new house, designed by Carriere & H. H. of New York with all modern improvements. Mr. Ford has purchased for his own occupancy.

Police Court.

This morning before Judge Kennedy in the police court, Dennis Leahy was fined \$20 for cruelly beating a horse. According to the testimony of the witnesses, Leahy was hauling gravel in a dump cart from the Jackson estate on Washington street, when the wheels of the wagon became sunk in the gravel, making it difficult for the horse to pull the load. Leahy beat the horse on all parts of the body with the butt end of whip. After the team had been removed he continued whipping the horse for about 100 yards. The case was prosecuted by the agent for the S. P. C. A., and Patrolman R. B. Conroy.

Thomas Kiley, who created a drunken disturbance off River street at West Newton, last evening was fined \$10. Manrice Kiley, drunk, \$5. Michael Barry, drunk, placed on file.

Maud—How is Mr. Blushman getting along? Has he proposed yet?
Edith—No; but he is improving. The first night he called he held the album in his hands all the evening; the second night he had my pug dog in his arms; last night he held Willie on his lap for an hour. I have hopes.

Clara—I don't think Grace cares very much for her husband.
Jessie—Why?
Clara—Well, he was detained at his office until 8 o'clock one evening last week, and it never occurred to her that he might be killed, or something?

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NEWTON.

—George S. Reid and Robert A. Reid, Jr., are at home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

—Ladies will find a large assortment of stationery at Dr. Hudson's, Nonantum square.

—Mr. J. C. Dark and family of Waban Park have given up their house and removed to Boston.

—Mr. A. S. Fredericks of Richardson street left last Monday for Rochester, N. Y., where he is the guest of relatives.

—The Social Science Club is cordially invited to attend a social given by the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs on Thursday, Dec. 2nd, from three to five o'clock, in temple hall, Masonic building, Newtonville.

—Two invitation organ recitals will be given by Mr. Barrell, organist of Grace church, assisted by a young lady violinist, a graduate of German schools. The dates are the evenings of Dec. 1st and 15th, and invitations can be had by applying to Mr. E. Barrell.

—A business meeting of the Social Science Club will be held at the house of Mrs. F. E. Stanley, 638 Centre street, Wednesday, Dec. 1st, at 9:45. At 10:35 students from Hampton Institute have kindly offered to sing for the club, and guests may be invited at that hour.

—Military men throughout the state are greatly interested in the result of the voting contest for the most popular officer in the M. V. M., now being conducted by the Boston Saturday Sun. Capt. W. E. Lombard, Co. B, 1st regiment, is the military editor of The Sun, and his comments are very interesting to all members of the state militia.

—The Newton & Waltham cars now run down Moody street in Waltham, instead of Crescent, and thereby save eight minutes on each trip. The cars will run on the Crescent street line, and they run to the corner of Moody. The saving of time is important to the large number who go to the business part of Waltham.

—Last Friday at the Newton Hospital occurred the death of Laurence Thornton Hallett, son of Mr. F. Hallett, a well known young man of this place. He was 18 years, 10 months old, and had lived in Newton for some years. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Mary W. Page of Arlington street.

—The sidewalk on one side of the Washington street bridge has been opened for pedestrians, and is now used by hundreds of people every day. The cold weather and storms have delayed work on the bridge, but some progress has been made this week, and it is hoped that this important connection between two popular sections will be finished before next weeks.

—Music in Grace church Sunday night: Processional, "Through the night of doubt and sorrow." Paine Magnificat in B flat. Stanford.

—Nunc Dimittis in B flat. Stanford.

—Anthem, "O for a closer walk with God." Foster.

—"By Babylon's Wave." Motel-Gounod.

—Retrospection, "O Jesu thou art standing." Seats free.

—Daniel Curran of Bridgeport, Conn., employed in the construction of the Centre place bridge, was at work in the centre of the bridge Wednesday morning, when he slipped and fell to the ground. He was picked up, and taken to his boarding place on Centre street, where he was summoned, who upon examination found his spine had been injured, and ordered his removal to the Newton hospital.

—The Newton Street Railway Co. commenced on Tuesday to run its cars to Waltham, via Moody street, instead of via Centre street. This shortens the run and reduces the time to 30 minutes from Newton to the Fitchburg depot, or 37 minutes to the end of the line at upper Main street. Cars leave Newton at 7:30 a.m., on the even hours and quarters, Newtonville, 8, and West Newton, 15 minutes later.

—The Garden City A. C. eleven and the Harvard sophomore team played a scrappy game on Morse's field last Saturday afternoon. After two well contested halves the game was called, neither side scoring. The home team was badly crippled by the absence of several of its best men, and with its regular team would have probably given the Harvard's a bad defeat. The students made a fair showing, but their work did not meet with the expectations of admirers. The field was in bad condition and the disagreeable weather had its effect also.

—Papers were received Saturday morning from the postoffice department, making the offices at Newton, Newtonville, West Newton and Auburndale independent of the main office at Newton Centre, as regards registry matter. This step is one that will find favor with the residents of the north side of the city, owing to the delay occasioned by sending matter to the main office. In this connection, it might be of interest to state that in the United States there are only seven offices doing business on the above basis. Of these, Newton boasts four.

—The Newton Harness Company has taken the last vacant store on Centre place, and invites the patronage of Newton people. In another column is given the advertisement of the company, and they will have all kinds of horse clothing, stable supplies, robes, etc., for sale at less than Boston prices. Fine harness work will be a specialty, new harnesses will be built of the best materials and warranted to do good service, and all repair work will be promptly and skillfully attended to by skilled workmen. Trucks will be repaired at short notice. As the Centre place bridge will soon be completed the store will be convenient for all driving to or from the railroad station.

—The fifth annual Regatta of Garden City Lodge, 7191, I. O. O. F. M. U., which was held in Armory hall last Friday evening, was one of the most successful social events ever held under the auspices of the organization. Nearly 300 members of the order and their friends from the Newtons, Waltham, Cambridge and Boston were present. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 until midnight, with a brief intermission for refreshments. Isaac W. A. McLaue was floor director, and his assistants were J. B. Bishop, M. Matheson, J. S. Douglas, John McNeill, James Urquhart, James Ritchie, Henry Urquhart, David Gallagher, Wm. Waite, Arthur Gile, N. A. McKee and N. H. Matson. The reception committee comprised W. Christie, F. W. Turner and James Hunter.

—Next Sunday evening a public meeting will be held at Channing church at 7:30. Hampton Institute, so well known to the people of New England, sends out its speakers and singers again to stimulate a renewed interest in the work it is doing for the negro race in the South and the Indian in the West. Dr. H. B. Fissell is in charge and tells of the new developments that have been brought about at the school for the better equipment of its students in the very important work they are preparing themselves to carry on among their own people. Fred M. Fitch, a negro graduate, tells of his experience in driving about through thirty counties of Virginia studying the conditions of the people among whom they are laboring. John Tuckas, a Sioux, who came to Hampton in long hair and moccasins fifteen years ago, and has been for eight years working at his trade on the reservation, shows how the old tribal life is giving away before the march of progress led by the educated Indians. The Hampton Quartet will sing the old plantation songs and some that have never been given before in the north.

CIRCUIT LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

SEASON BEGAN THIS WEEK AND WILL CONTINUE THROUGH 21 WEEKS TILL APRIL 14.

The Circuit League schedule is out, and now all hands are in line and ready for competition. The Circuit League consists of seven clubs this year, and 21 weeks will be necessary to get the competition through. Home and home games are played for 14 weeks and neutral games for the remaining seven. The season opened this week and will close on April 14.

The Newton Highlands and Newton Boat Club will take a prominent part, and with their unusually strong teams will probably make a good finish. The games arranged for the home teams are as follows:

HOME AND HOME GAMES.

First week—Wednesday, Nov. 24, Newton Highlands Club vs. Newton Boat Club, at Newton Highlands.

Second week—Wednesday, Dec. 1, Mangus vs. Newton Boat Club, at Mangus. Thursday, Dec. 2, Newton Highlands vs. B. A. A., at Newton Highlands.

Third week—Tuesday, Dec. 7, Allston vs. Newton Highlands, at Allston. Friday, Dec. 10, Newton Boat vs. Arlington, at Newton Boat.

Fourth week—Thursday, Dec. 16, Riverdale vs. Newton Boat, at Riverdale Casino. Fifth week—Wednesday, Dec. 22, Newton Highlands vs. Riverdale, at Newton Highlands.

Sixth week—Tuesday, Dec. 28, Newton Boat vs. Allston, at Newton Boat. Wednesday, Dec. 29, Arlington vs. Newton Highlands, at Arlington.

Seventh week—Tuesday, Jan. 4, Newton Highlands vs. Mangus, at Newton Highlands. Wednesday, Jan. 5, B. A. A. vs. Newton Boat, at B. A. A.

Eighth week—Tuesday, Jan. 11, Newton Boat vs. Newton Highlands, at Newton Boat.

Ninth week—Thursday, Jan. 20, B. A. A. vs. Newton Highlands, at B. A. A. Friday, Jan. 21, Newton Boat vs. Mangus, at Newton Boat.

Tenth week—Tuesday, Jan. 25, Newton Highlands vs. Allston, at Newton Highlands. Wednesday, Jan. 26, Arlington vs. Newton Boat, at Arlington.

Eleventh week—Friday, Feb. 4, Newton Boat vs. Riverdale, at Newton Boat. Tuesday, Feb. 10, Riverdale vs. Newton Highlands, at Riverdale Casino.

Twelfth week—Tuesday, Feb. 15, Allston vs. Newton Boat, at Allston. Wednesday, Feb. 16, Newton Highlands vs. Arlington, at Newton Highlands.

Thirteenth week—Monday, Feb. 21, Mangus vs. Newton Highlands, at Mangus. Friday, Feb. 25, Newton Boat vs. B. A. A., at Newton Boat.

NEUTRAL GAMES.

Fifteenth week—Wednesday, March 2, Newton Boat vs. Newton Highlands, at B. A. A. Thursday, March 3, Allston vs. Mangus, at Newton Highlands.

Sixteenth week—Wednesday, March 9, Mangus vs. Newton Boat, at Arlington. Thursday, March 10, B. A. A. vs. Newton Highlands, at Newton Highlands.

Seventeenth week—Tuesday, March 15, Newton Boat vs. Arlington, at Riverdale. Friday, March 18, Allston vs. Newton Highlands, at Newton Boat.

Eighteenth week—Tuesday, March 22, Riverdale vs. Newton Boat, at Newton Highlands.

Nineteenth week—Tuesday, March 29, Allston vs. Arlington, at Newton Boat. Wednesday, March 30, Newton Highlands vs. Riverdale, at Arlington.

Twentieth week—Tuesday, April 5, Newton Boat vs. Allston, at Mangus. Wednesday, April 6, Arlington vs. Newton Highlands, at Allston. Friday, April 8, Riverdale vs. B. A. A., at Newton Boat.

Twenty-first week—Tuesday, April 12, Newton Highlands vs. Mangus, at Newton Boat. Wednesday, April 13, B. A. A. vs. Newton Boat, at Allston.

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A Typographical Error. [From Puck.]

She—I read that Yello, the tragedian, fairly electrified his audience last night. He—it should have read "electrouted."

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"At the age of two months, my baby began to have sores break out on his right cheek. We used all the external applications that we could find, but to no avail. The sores spread all over one side of his face. We consulted a physician and tried his medicine, and in a week the sores were gone. But to my surprise in two weeks more another scrofulous looking sore appeared on baby's arm. It grew worse and worse, and when he was three months old, I began giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before the first bottle was finished, the sores were well and have never returned. He is now four years old, but he has never had any sign of those scrofulous sores since he was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, for which I feel very grateful. My boy owes his good health and smooth, fair skin to this great medicine." MRS. S. S. WROTON, Farmington, Delaware. Get only Hood's.

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CITY ELECTION.

December 7, 1897.

CITY OF NEWTON.

ORDERED,

In accordance with the Acts of the General Court of 1893, Chap. 417, Title V, and the foregoing order,

Notice is hereby given of the meetings to be held for the purposes aforesaid, on the said seventh day of December, 1897, in the several polling places, as follows:—

Precinct 1, Ward 1, Voting Booth, Watertown Street, north opposite Pearl Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 1, Armory Hall, Washington Street.

Precinct 1, Ward 2, Rooms 6 and 8 Central Block, Washington Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 2, Roberts Building, 297 Walnut Street.

Precinct 1, Ward 3, City Hall, Washington Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 3, City Hall, Washington Street.

Precinct 1, Ward 4, Auburn Hall, Ash Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 4, Freeman Hall, Washington Street.

Precinct 1, Ward 5, Voting Booth, Pettee Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 5, Stevens Hall, Lincoln Street.

Precinct 3, Ward 5, Waban Hall, Waban.

Precinct 1, Ward 6, Associates' Hall, Centre Street.

Precinct 2, Ward 6, Associates' Hall, Centre Street.

Precinct 1, Ward 7, Eliot Lower Hall, Centre Street.

Read and adopted.

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, Clerk.

Approved, Nov. 15, 1897.

HENRY E. COBB, Mayor.

A true copy. Attest: ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

Mortgagee's Sale

of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Ira S. Franklin to Alex. M. Ferris given July first 1893, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for Middlesex County (South District) Book 2596 folio 572, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December 1897, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Newton and bounded Southwesterly by Bellevue street one hundred three feet, 66-100 (66.100) feet; Northwesterly by lane, now or late of Potter in part, of Franklin in part and of Holden in part two hundred seventy seven and 27-100 (27.277) feet; Northeastly by land sold one Hano, one hundred eleven and 48-100 (111.48) feet and Southeastly by remaining land of this grantor, two hundred seventy seven and 13-100 (27.13) feet to said Bellevue street. Containing about twenty eight thousand seven hundred fourteen square feet.

The above described premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes or other assessments.

\$500 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

Assignee and present owner of said mortgage, John C. Kennedy, Attorney,

28 State street, Boston.

November 17, 1897.

By SAMUEL W. TUCKER, Auctioneer,

23 Court Street, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage deed given by John B. Young to Esther Silberstein dated October 12th, 1896 and recorded in the registry of deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist. Deeds Book 2577 folio 105 will be sold at Public Auction for breach of the condition of said mortgage on the premises hereinafter described on Monday the 13th day of December 1897, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Newton called Newton Centre, County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being Lot number one (1) on a Plan of land drawn by E. S. Shille dated Nov. 6th 1896; bounded Northerly by Albany Place, Twenty nine (29) feet; Westerly by lot number two (2) on said plan owned by Fred D. Ammidown One hundred seventy and 26-100 (172.26) feet; Southerly by land of Harbach Eight and 6-10 (8.6) feet; and by land of Walworth Forty seven (47) feet; Easterly by lot number one (1) on said plan owned by Fred D. Ammidown One hundred thirty seven (137) feet and Twenty two and 45-100 (22.45) feet. Containing 6217 55-100 square feet. (Being the same premises conveyed to Charles A. Love by Etta G. Mannix by deed of date January 1, 1897 and recorded herewith, said deed being delivered simultaneously with these presents and forming a part of the same transaction.)

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LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

- Borchers, W. Electric Smelting and Refining; 1 trans., with Additions by W. G. MacMillan. 104.343
- The extraction and treatment of metals by means of the electric current.
- Browning, Elizabeth Barrett. Letters; ed. with Biog. Additions by F. Y. Kenyon. 2 vols. 54.1167
- Bruce, Alex. Balmian. The Provisional Order of the World. Gifford lectures delivered at Glasgow University. 94.631
- Carlyle, Thomas. Essay on Burns. ed. with Intro. and Notes by Andrew J. George. 51.632
- Chapman, Abel. Wild Norway; with Chapters on Spitzbergen, Denmark, etc. 35.365
- The writer tells of his experiences in hunting and fishing, with his impressions of the country.
- Claretie, Jules. Brichanteau, Actor. 64.1794
- Craig, George Cathcart. Federal Defence. Australasia. 72.409
- Davis, Anna Chase. Nature Stories for Youngest Readers: Animals Tame and Wild. 101.844
- Fiske, John. Old Virginia and her Neighbors. 2 vols. 73.316
- This work is next in sequence to Mr. Fiske's "Discovery of America." (73.255). It describes the founding and growth of Virginia, Maryland, the Carolinas and Georgia.
- Herrick, Robert. Literary Love Letters and other Stories. 61.1147
- Hurst, Charles. Valves and Valve-Gearing: a Practical Text-Book for Engineers, Draftsmen and Students. 104.345
- Hyde, Mary F. Practical Lessons in Use of English. 2 vols. 53.562
- Ihering, Rudolph von. Evolution of the Aryan. 105.537
- "A study which, while paying due attention to linguistic methods of establishing the Aryan descent, is particularly full in regard to pertinent historical facts and customs."
- Inexpensive Country Homes, \$1,000 to \$5,000. Scientific American Architectural Series. 107.437
- Johnston, Richard Malcolm. Old Times in Middle Georgia. 64.1793
- Morgan, J. Livingston. R. Outline of the Theory of Solution and its Results; for Chemists and Electricians. 102.361
- Olyphant, Margaret O. W. William Blackwood and his Sons: their Magazine and Friends. 96.452
- "A most interesting record of the doings of a famous publishing house, which has always stood high, not only for the many notable books it has produced but for the integrity and liberality which have distinguished its dealings with authors and the public." London Athenaeum.
- Paulin, Louis. The Beggar of Paris; trans. fr. the French by Lady Herschell. 81.306
- Penniman, James H. ed. School Poetry Book. 51.631
- Peters, John Punnett. Nippur: or Explorations and Adventures on the Euphrates. 35.367
- The narrative of the University of Penn. Expedition to Babylon in the years 1888-90.
- Rivers, George R. R. Captain Shays, a Populist of 1780. 61.1142
- A story dealing with the discontent of the farmers in Mass. after the Revolution and with Shays' Rebellion.
- Robinson, Rowland E. Uncle Lisha's Outing. 61.1154
- Tales of hunting and fishing adventures told in the dialect of northern Vermont.
- Sears, Lorenzo. The Occasional Address, its Composition and Literature. 54.1164
- Seawell, Molly Elliot. History of Lady Betty Stair. 61.1150
- Thatcher, Oliver. Short History of Medieval Europe. (Chautauqua R. C. L.) 73.315
- Thatcher and Schwill's Europe in the Middle Ages, a condensed and abridged for the Chautauqua reading course.
- Wesselhoft, Lily Foster. Torpeanut's Tomboy; a Story for Children. 61.1162
- E. F. THURSTON, Librarian. Nov. 24, 1897.

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of cramp. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place; and he handles a great many potent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of cramp. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genest, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

NONANTUM.

While these 8 wagon was responding to an alarm from box 23, Friday evening of last week, the wagon came into collision with a tree and was badly damaged. The regular driver was not on duty and his place was being filled by Frank Turner. Nobody was injured and the wagon proceeded to the fire. It is now at P. A. Murray's, Newton, undergoing necessary repairs.

In the local court, Saturday morning, William Mackin of Chapel street was sentenced to two months in the house of correction for drunkenness. Mackin was arrested about a month ago at Newton on a similar charge it took the combined efforts of two officers and several citizens to place him in custody. Although on that occasion the officers were grievously assaulted, Mackin was not clubbed or struck by any of the officers during the scuffle.

Patrick Joyce, an old resident of this place, died last Friday morning at his home on Cook street after a brief illness. He was 70 years of age and was born in Ireland. He came to Newton when a young man and had been a resident of this city for nearly half a century. He was a gardener by trade and was well known to most of the older residents of Newton. He leaves four sons and a daughter. The funeral was held Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock from his late residence. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated at the Church of Our Lady. The interment was at Holyhood cemetery.

Mr. N. N. Osburn well known at Woodstock, Mich., was troubled with a lame back. He was persuaded to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It gave him relief in one night. This remedy is also famous for its cures of Rheumatism. For sale by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genest, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

No-To-Bac For Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure. Makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. E. L. Druggists.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Dr. W. H. Hildreth of High street and family spent Thanksgiving in Lowell.

—Mr. George Chambers is making improvements to his dairy on Thurston road.

—The Fanning Printing Company are erecting an addition to their building on High street.

—The ladies of the Methodist church are busily at work completing arrangements for the annual church fair to be held next month.

—P-ttee's machine shop was closed Thursday and will not reopen again until Monday. The holiday was generally observed and all places of business were closed for the day.

—The young men of this place are forming a class for the study of political economy. There is great interest manifested in the idea and the plan will probably be successfully carried out.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Sergt. Mitchell has returned to duty at headquarters, after a week's vacation.

—Mr. J. A. Robinson, agent for Bowker & Willis extensive real estate dealers, has opened an office at Newtonville, in connection with one here.

—Part of the sewer is done to the turning point at the hose station where the course is to be directed across Wales street, and to follow the river to Upper Falls.

—The Dudley Mills started on a new time schedule Monday, the hours being changed taking a half hour from morning and making up by working until 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

—We notice Mr. Carroll does not follow the snow plough here this year, and might as well be difficult to give our residents here a substitute, who will look after the convenience of all as faithfully as he has. We hope to see him again located here.

—The bursting of a water pipe at Dr. Freeman's residence Sunday night, but for being discovered at an early hour in the morning, would have caused much damage, the Dr. being obliged to make a hasty trip for Mr. L. A. Gammons at West Newton, who came up and repaired the break.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Dr. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. W. ALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Veteran Firemen's Ball.

The Newton veteran firemen held their first annual ball in Temple hall, last Friday evening. The affair was a pronounced success, and was attended by more than 300 veteran firemen and their lady and gentlemen friends from the Newtons, Waltham, Watertown and Boston, as well as by a large number of representatives of the active departments of these places, city officials and other invited guests.

The hall was decorated with palms and potted plants, and the walls were hung with fire department insignia and colored bunting. From 8 to 9 o'clock an orchestra discoursed popular airs. The concert over, dancing began, continuing with a brief intermission, during which supper was served, until midnight.

The reception committee comprised Pres. W. Parker, Leavitt, C. D. Bartlett, W. M. Russell, J. McGlinchey, J. W. Bailey, J. Warren, W. H. Mague, O. S. W. Bailey, P. J. Hosenau, J. F. Washburn, J. T. Thomason, J. H. Randall, J. F. Walsh and John F. P. J.

Capt. John Exley acted as floor director, and was assisted by Capt. F. H. Humphrey, H. N. Hyde, W. E. Glover, F. T. Burgess, A. J. Nutting, B. D. Farrell, T. J. Delaney, E. C. Wetherhouse, S. F. Chabourne, D. J. O'Donnell, W. H. Burns and George Reynolds.

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I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; Lacroix & Genest, Nonantum; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

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(From the Cleveland Leader.)

"Well, I see that Messrs. McKinley and Laurier are likely to come to an understanding over the seal question."

"Yes, that's where Messrs. McKinley and Laurier differ from me and my wife."

"Yes, Mrs. Sawleigh, I have four fine sons breaking my heart by running after the soldiers!"

"Ah, my dear Mrs. Sawleigh, I have four strapping darters—a-breaking of their mothers' ears by the soldiers—arunning after them!"

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

Mr. Anthony Hope, in a recent interview, expressed a personal preference for his novel, *The God in the Car*, which is published by D. Appleton and Company.

A portion of one of A. Conan Doyle's Brigadier Gerard stories, which are published by D. Appleton and Company, is to be issued in raised print for the use of the blind.

One of the novel features of the great interest in Mr. Bellamy's *Equality* in the West was the display of a huge imitation copy on a float in the Labor Day parade in an Illinois city. It is said that the demand for the book throughout the West is extraordinarily large.

THE BETH BOOK.

"The Heavenly Twins" has a successor in "The Beth Book," and it promises to be as much discussed, and to excite as conflicting emotions in the readers as the former novel. Some of the critics call it a "rubbish heap," while others go to the opposite extreme and find no words strong enough for their commendation. Like Hall Caine, Sarah Grand believes in a novel with a purpose, but she has a much clearer idea of what she wishes to demonstrate, and her characters have some consistency. She believes in sermonizing also, and her heroine begins to preach almost before she can talk. The book has all the virtues and vices of the "Heavenly Twins," but there is a fascinating story. The author unfolds upon the public a real mass of crude material, all her characters preach, the men are horrible examples, and there is no hope for the world save in the little band of new women, who hold meetings to denounce the iniquities of man. The fact that one of the two or three respectable men is an American, may be flattering to our feelings, but Mme. Grand probably located him here to make her moral stronger. The heroine is a remarkably precocious child, a terror to her family and all concerned with her bringing up. Her mother can do nothing with her, and she grows up an unappreciated child, and has a deep and absorbing love affair before she is twelve. The only time she obeys her mother is when she accepts the husband her mother provides, which she does with surprising docility, although she dislikes him, but she must do this to do this to point the moral of the story. He turns out as bad as Mrs. Grand can make him, he is on the staff of a hospital which is in some mysterious way, which is only hinted at, and he is a real vivisectionist, and after Beth finds this out, of course she can only leave him. The gloom of the book deepens, and Mrs. Grand fairly revels in harrowing details, till Beth falls in love with a young American artist, whom she saves from starvation by pawn-ing all her good clothes. Virtue is triumphant at last, for finding that she cut off her hair and sold it to buy him food, he falls in love with her and there the story ends, like the story of the lady and the tiger. Mrs. Grand proclaims to the extent of many pages that the does not write for art, that she despises style, that she only writes to help "the sad majority of wives whose attitude toward their husbands must be one of contemptuous toleration." But the reader is left sorely perplexed as to what she advises. Is her heroine the ideal that other women must follow, and should they all leave their husbands and fall in love with poor American artists, and if so what should they do afterwards? Or should they merely join the new women and discuss the most modern theories, and scorn books without a purpose, but it is rather unkind of her to leave the purpose of her book so much in doubt. Books must end somewhere, but Mrs. Grand succeeds better than Hall Caine, as she does not get her characters in such a fix that she is compelled to kill them off as the only way of disposing of them. The story is interesting and bids fair to have as great a popularity as its predecessor. Most people like to have their pictures of life strongly drawn, and Mrs. Grand leaves nothing to be desired in that direction, although it is certain that no society and no people exist quite as bad as she pictures them. The book is published by D. Appleton & Co.

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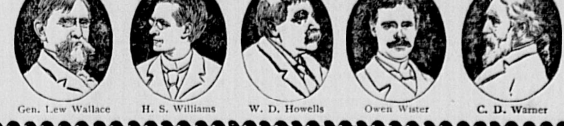
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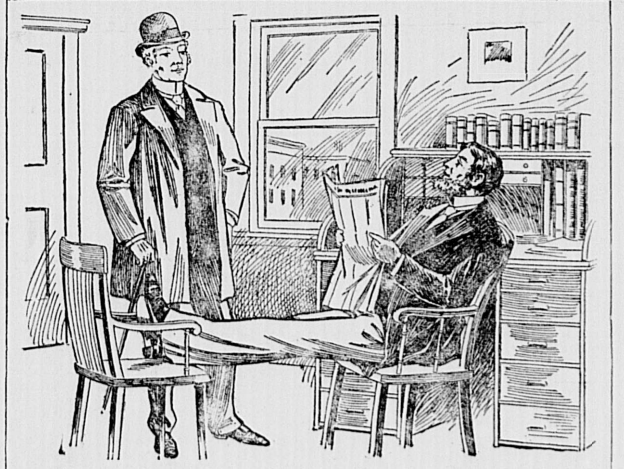
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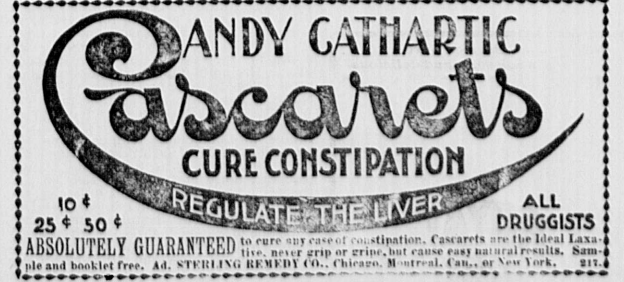
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